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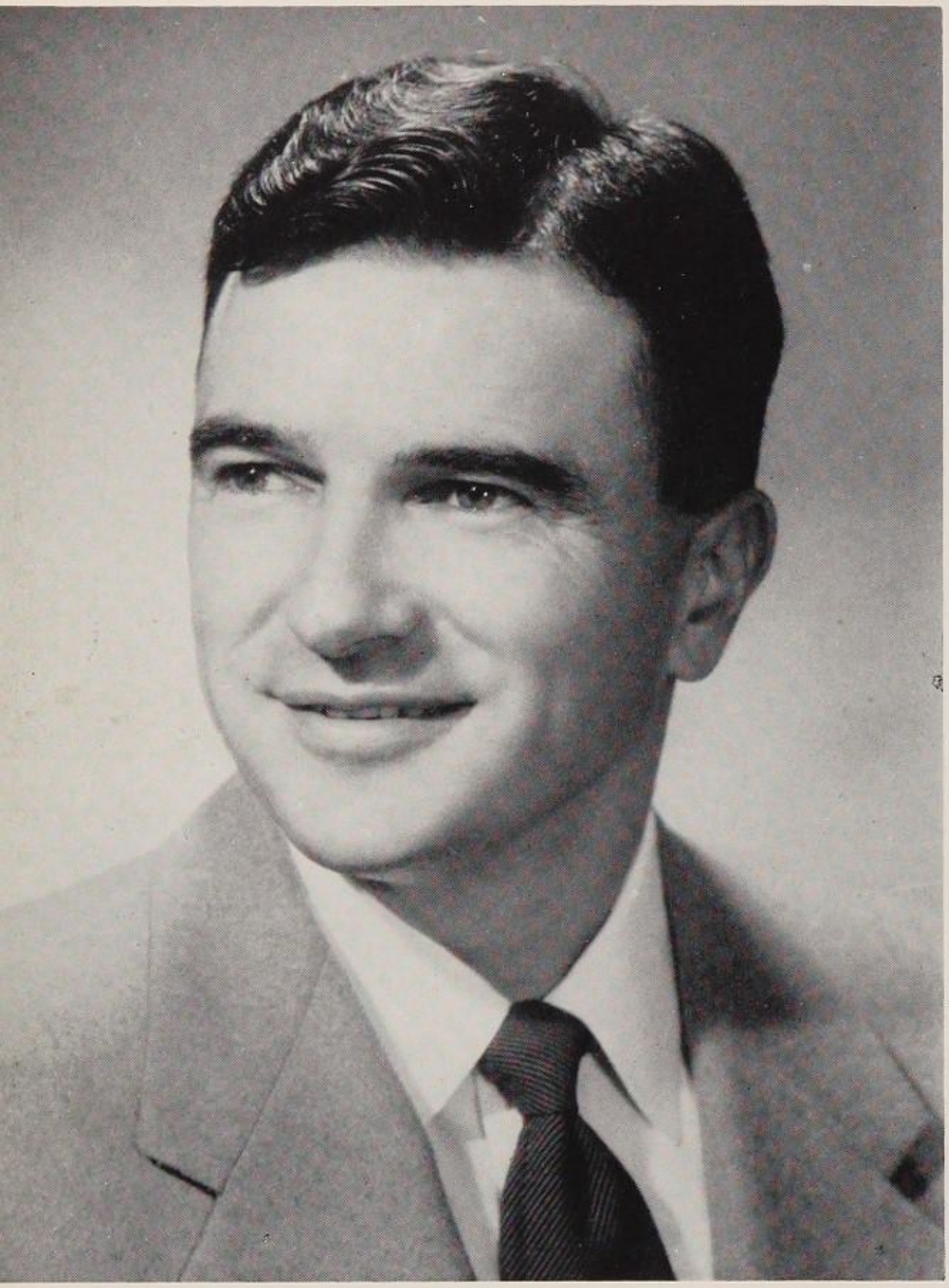
The Fine Arts:

Embarking on our journey through the annals of events in Kearny High School, we observe the memorable activities which blend together to compose the life we will cherish as years pass. It is then fitting to give to this, our '57 Komet, a theme aptly illustrating our school environment.

DEDICATION



MR. JAMES CLARK

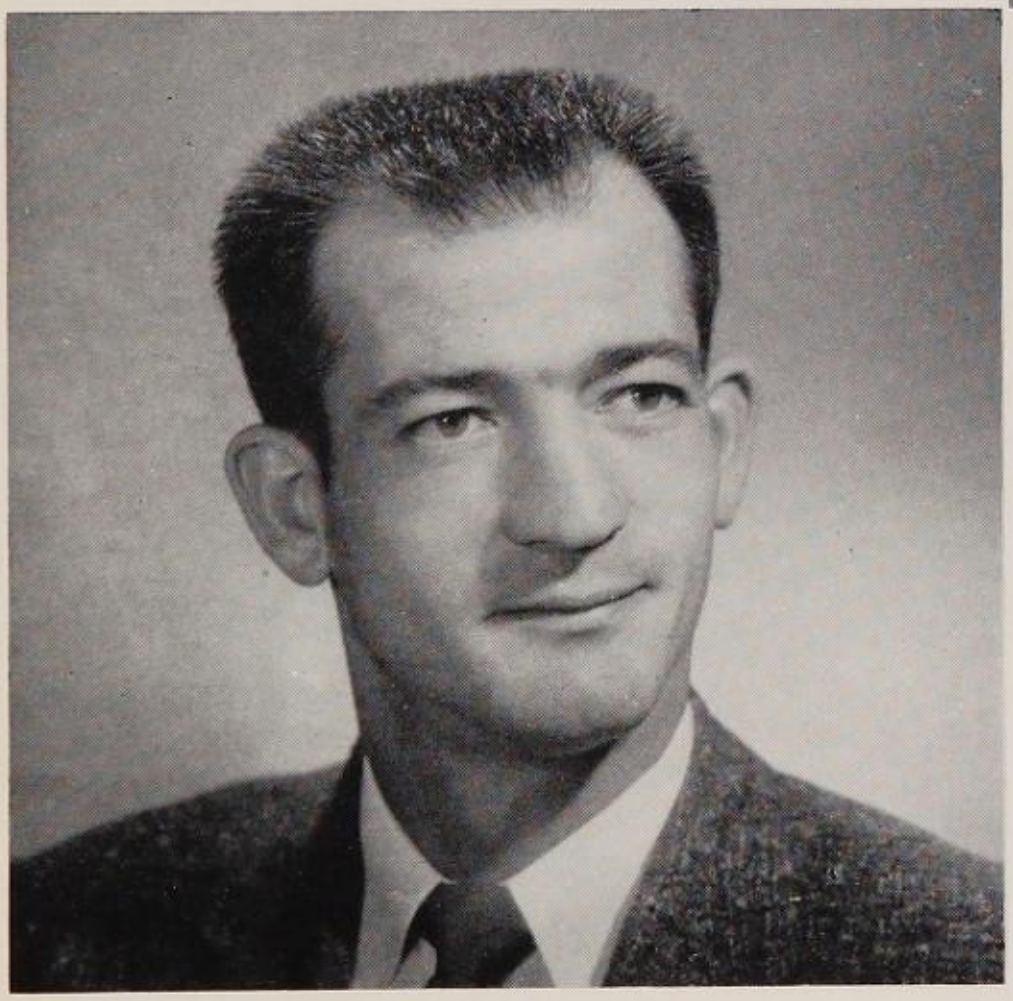
We, the Class of 1957, wish to dedicate our annual to one who has offered and given of his services most generously. Constant eagerness to assist students and faculty alike is typical of the unselfish deeds he performed, which deserve more than the recognition we are giving. His cherished guidance and grateful co-operation extended far beyond the realm of the classroom and his good-natured character spread over the entire campus. For his immense help, the Komet Staff of 1957 holds a very special place in their hearts for this jovial person. And since our feelings are so hard to express, we simply say, "Thanks for everything, Mr. James Clark!"

Architecture . . . the art of providing fundamental promotion and organization of school activity.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

MISS DOROTHY CAMPBELL

Acting as counselor in our seventh through ninth grades, and again for our junior and senior years, she has given generously of her time and loyalty. Helping to solve many of our problems, she created a happy and cheerful atmosphere for the class and the school. We speak, of course, of our friend and companion, Miss Dorothy J. Campbell.



MR. SAL GUMINA

It is our wish to give recognition to a man who has helped the class of '57 over many obstacles. His advice was always well founded and dependable, and through his great enthusiasm and wonderful guidance, the class has profited so very much.

Thank you, Mr. Sal Gumina.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE

MR. CLEON O. DAVIES

To the class of 1957:

I wish to express my thanks and deep appreciation for the co-operation, loyalty, understanding and support that you have given to me during the years we have worked together. Montgomery and Kearny have the finest boys and girls with whom I have ever been associated. It was a pleasure to come to Kearny with you in September of 1954; and I am proud to recommend you as the graduating class of Kearny High School in 1957.

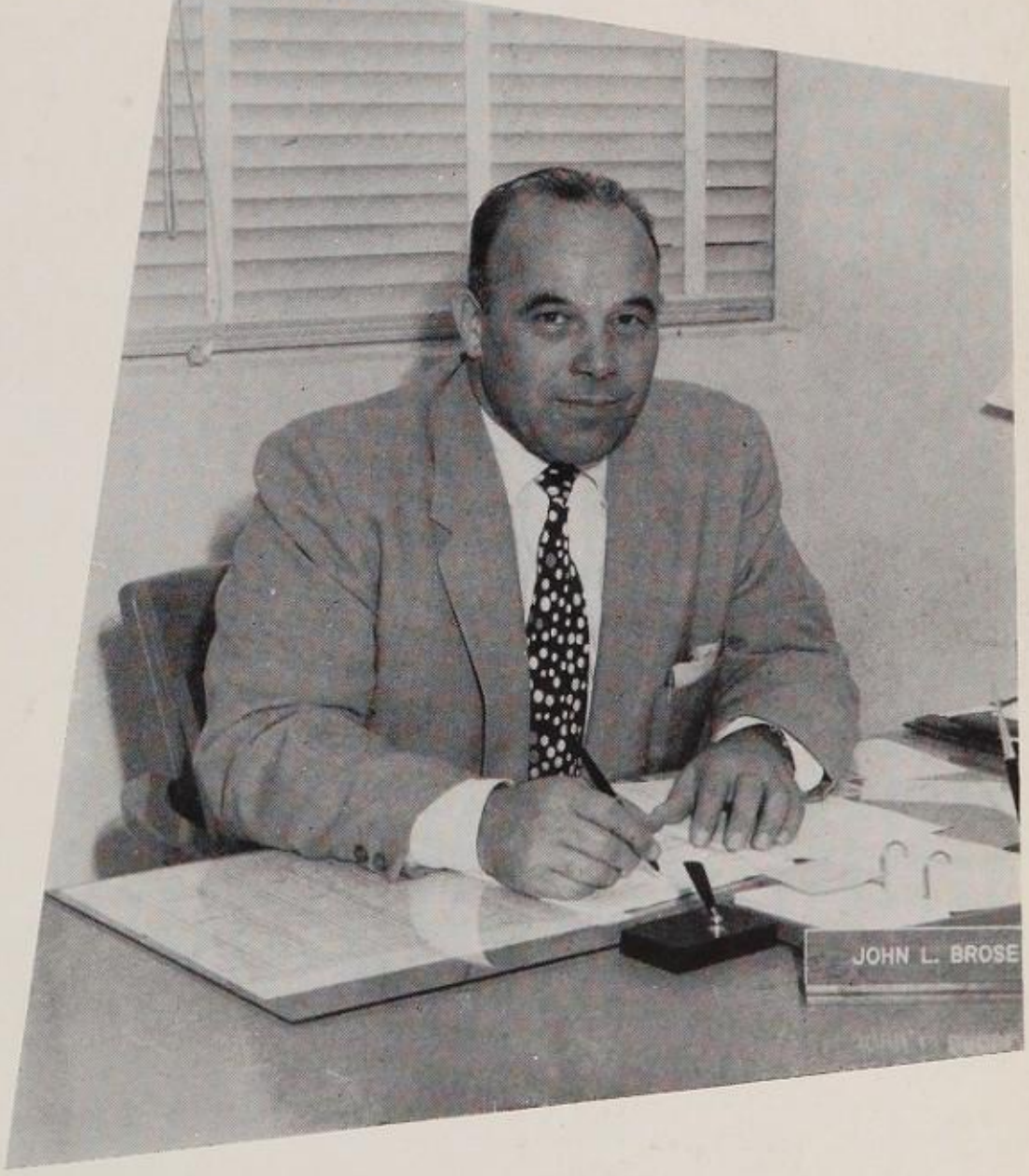
Good Luck to all of you,
Cleon O. Davies

MRS. KAREN WISEMAN

Recognized as one of Kearny's most outstanding Girls' Deans, Mrs. Wiseman has done a splendid job with her many functions. Besides acting in her official capacity, Mrs. Wiseman also took on the job of advisor to the Kappa Deb Council and in many instances helped enrich the welfare of the school.

MR. JOHN BROSE

In his first year at Kearny as vice-principal, Mr. Brose made many friends while performing with greater competence a very difficult job. Although he was a strict disciplinarian, Mr. Brose will long be remembered by all for his fairness and tact. Always available for counseling or decisive plans for the school's welfare, he rendered a great help to the entire student body. It is with pride that we say, "It's nice to know you."



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Mrs. Walter Ely, Vice-President; Mrs. Arthur Shurtleff, Secretary; Mrs. Gordon Mowers, Treasurer; Sonny Johnson, Betty Truett, Jerry Blackwell, student representatives.

KEARNY HIGH SCHOOL STAFF

Behind the scenes of Kearny High School's existence are the greatly appreciated and overworked groups. The office staff, librarians, gardeners, cafeteria helpers, and P.T.A. are all to be commended for their never-ceasing co-operation.

SECRETARIES

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(Mrs. Moran—her replacement not pictured.)

Mrs. Sylvia Walker; Mrs. Alta Elliott; Mrs. Donna Warren; Mrs. Beverly Bartholomew.

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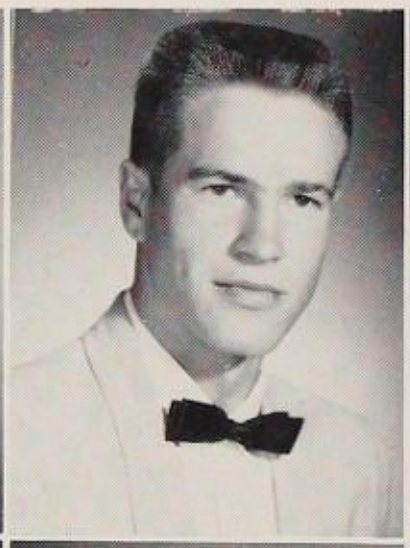

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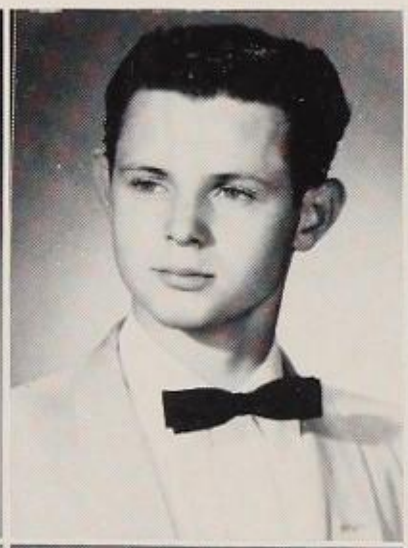

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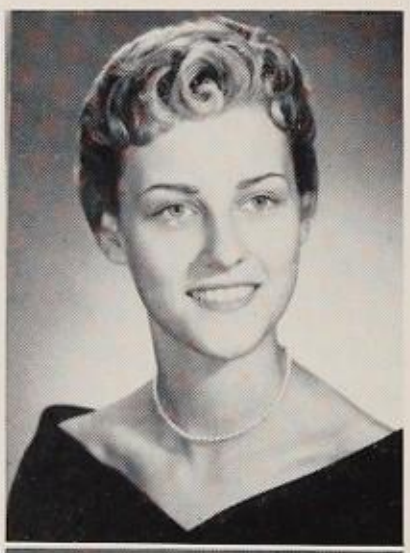

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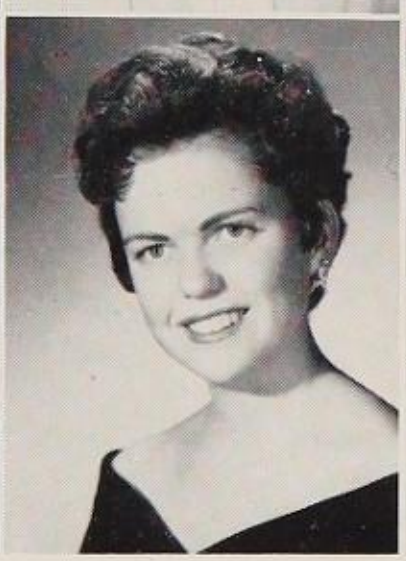

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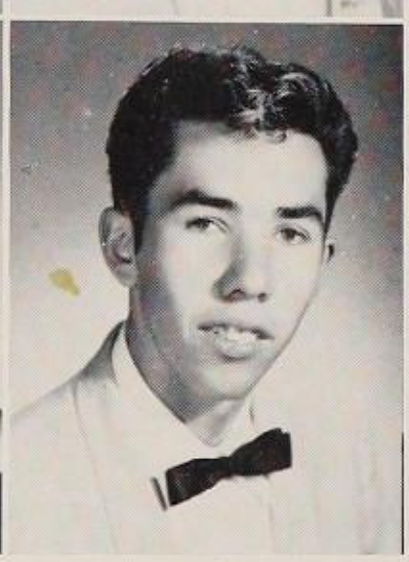

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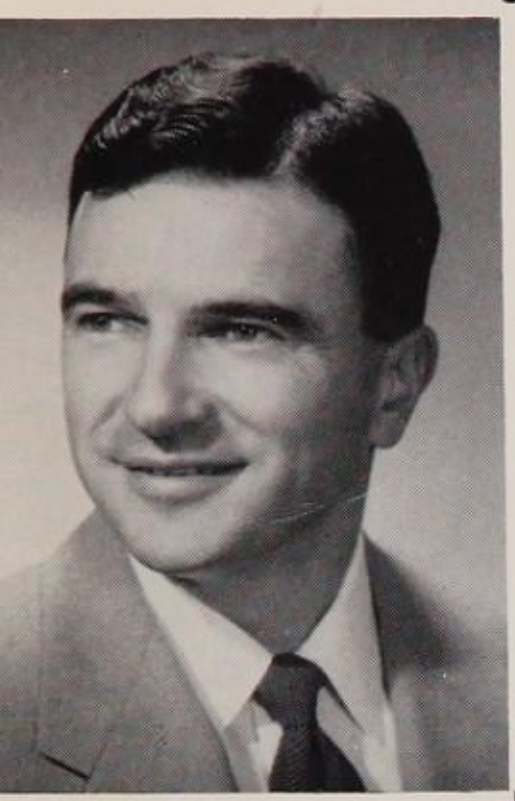
Art Editor

Barbara Nelson
Art Editor

Striving hard to fulfill their goal of producing a better yearbook, the Komet Staff combined many long hours of tedious work, planning, and organizing, with ambitious ideas and determination to succeed. There were setbacks, but the staff always overcame them with the results even better than hoped for. Amid this work, they had time for many laughs and good-natured fun.

JUNIOR ANNUAL STAFF



Mr. James Clark
Advisor

Understudies would be a perfect definition for the Junior Annual Staff. These students worked closely with the senior editors who showed them the making of a yearbook. This provided the junior staff with experience so that they could create an annual as pleasing as the previous ones. While performing all their numerous duties, they enjoyed the happy atmosphere of the Komet Staff.

Paul Coopwood, Jim Lucus, Dale Hankins, Roger Papaik, Lawrence Talamantez, Cris Medrano, Helen Umla
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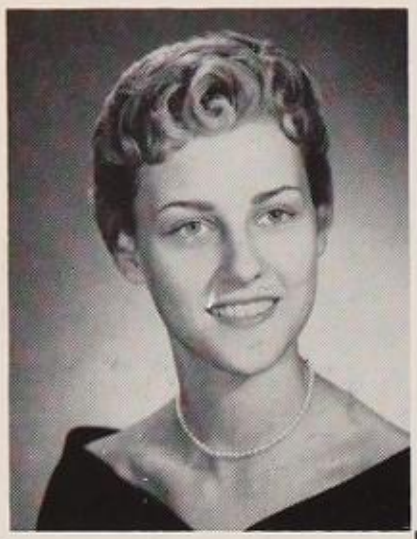

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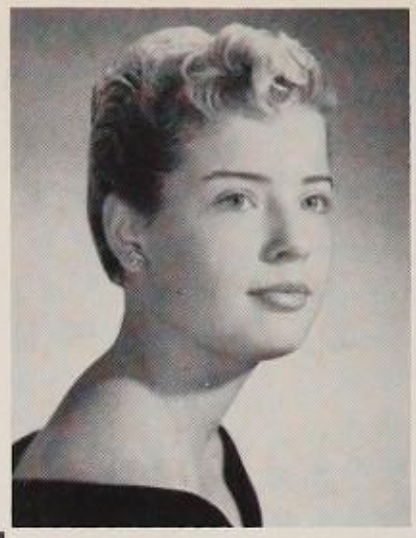

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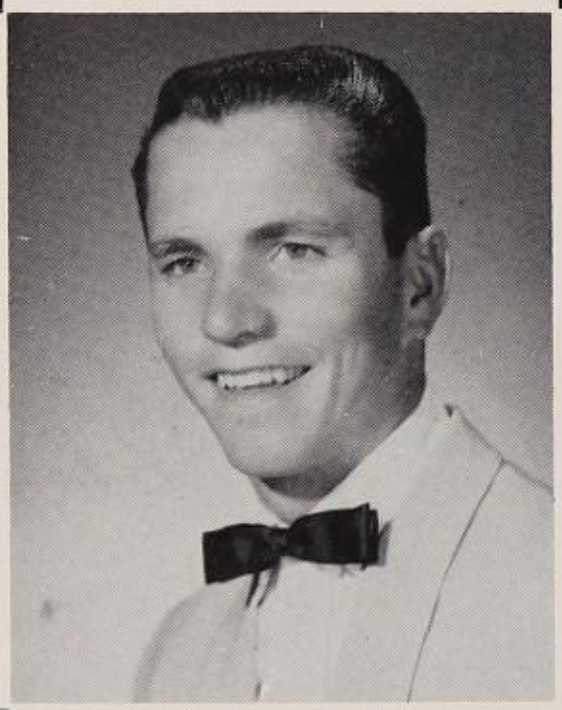

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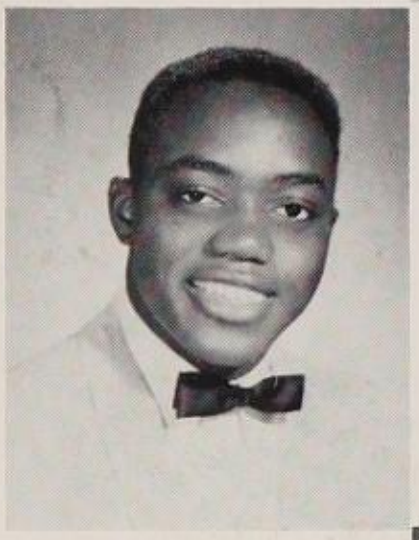

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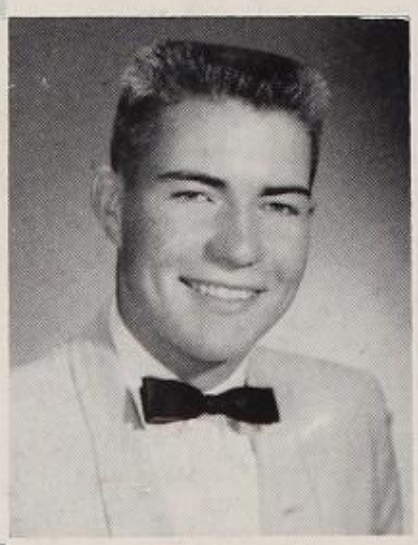

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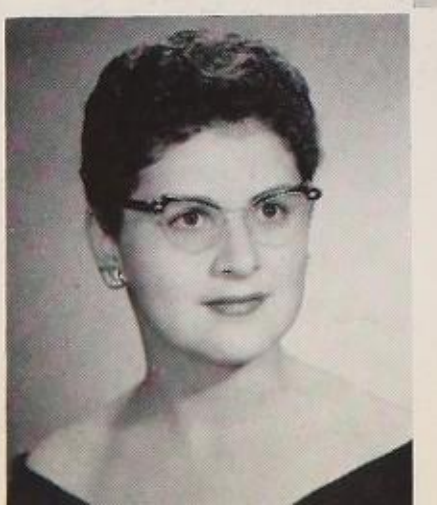
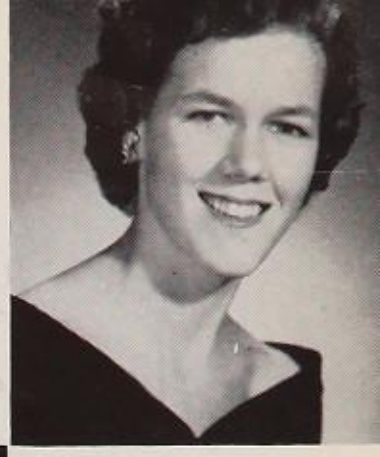


Ann Fracchiolla
Commissioner of Public Relations

This year's A.S.B. Council proved to be an efficient group. They worked continuously to provide activities of all kinds for the students and could always be depended upon in a pinch. Under the sponsorship of Mr. Lundmark and the fine leadership of A.S.B. President Charlie Cartmill, the 1956-'57 council received the praise of the entire student body.

Marietta Ducote
Girls' League President



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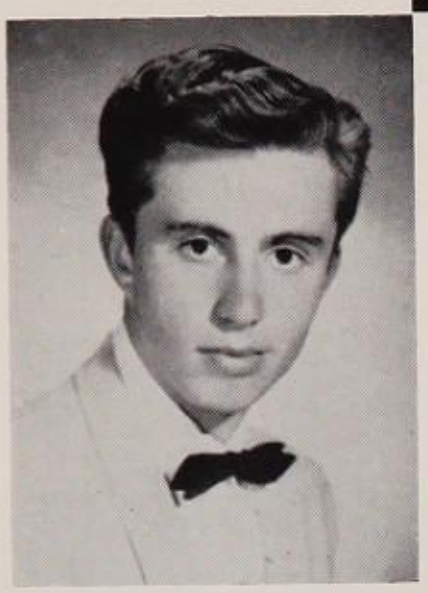

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Mr. Gus Lundmark
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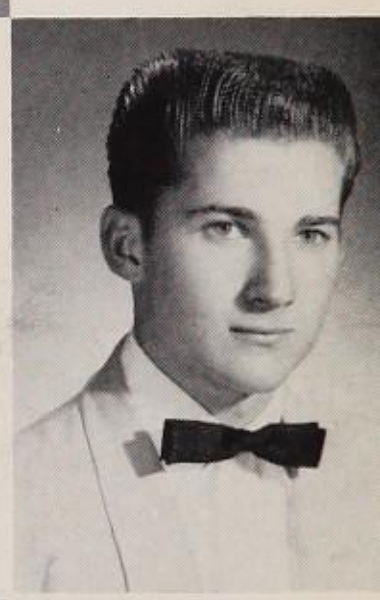

Dennis Shurtleff
Commissioner of Boys' Activities

Appointed Officers

Nadine Prior
Commissioner of Girls' Athletics

GIRLS' LEAGUE COUNCIL

Kappa Deb Kouncil — Girls' League Council, whatever the title, this capable group led Kearny High School girls in many worthwhile and interesting activities. One of their monthly attractions was the "Gardenia Girl," a deserving senior chosen through a letter to the council. Another special activity was the "Apple of Our Eye" who was a favorite and active senior boy. The girls of Kearny owe a fine year of leadership to their Girls' League President, Marietta Ducote.

Marietta Ducote
President

Sandy Shaver
Vice-President

Jean Killgore
Secretary

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Senior Representative

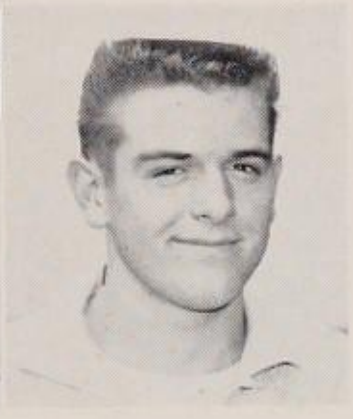
JoAnne Bain
Junior Representative

Betty Truett
Sophomore Representative

Kappa Deb Kouncil

KHS News

Mrs. Elizabeth Dresser
Advisor



Essie Blake
Co-Editor

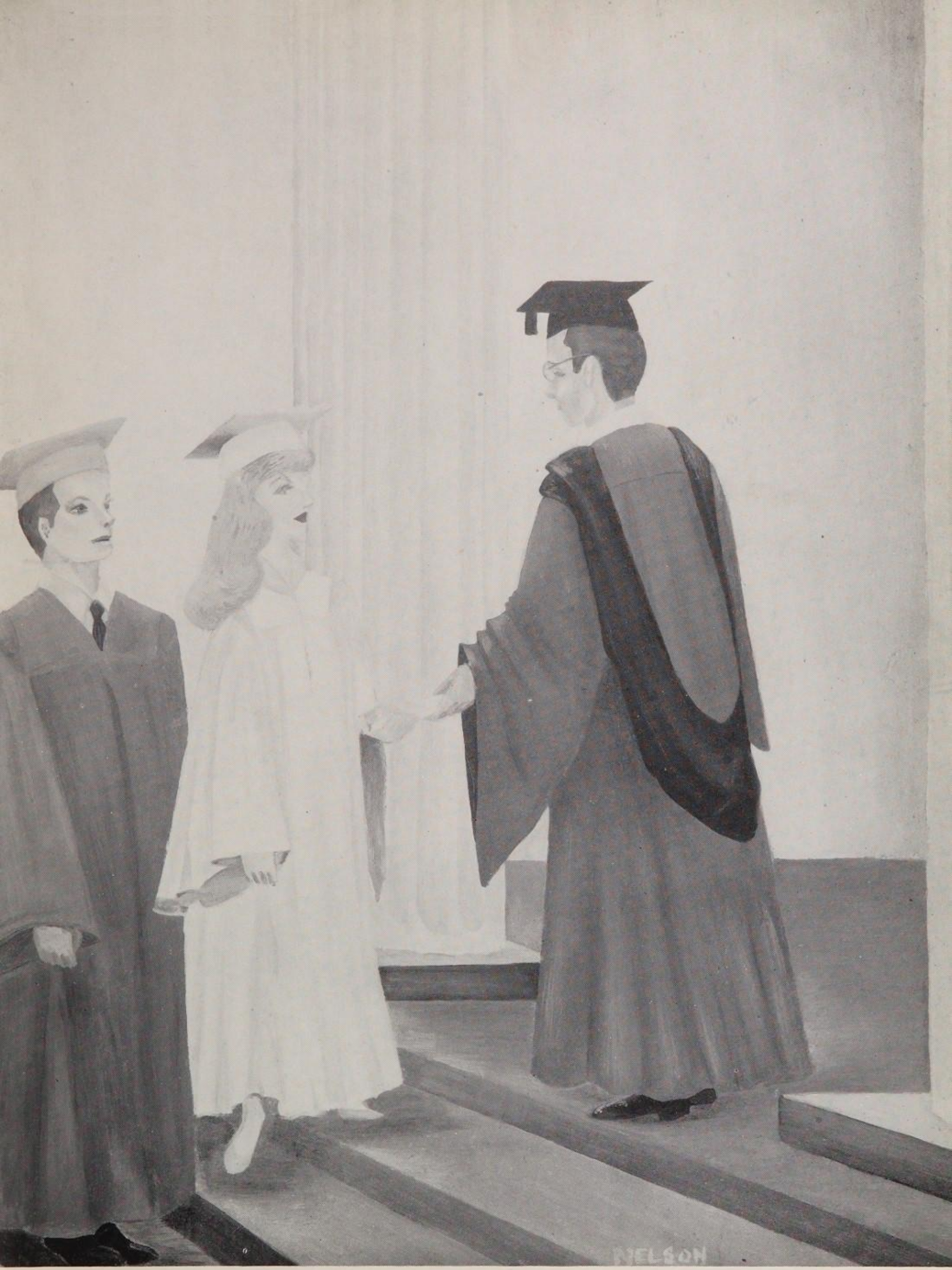
Ruth Willard
Co-Editor

Morris Akers
Sports Editor

Kearny High School is proud of this year's fine news staff. The KHS News has always consisted of various well written and interesting articles. Our thanks go to the staff advisor, Mrs. Dresser, and her efficient co-editors.

Back row, left to right: Larry Gangwisch, Mrs. Dresser, Kay Glasco, Sharon Danna, John Silber, Caroline Levonyak, Judi Hastings, Bob Schumaker, Nancy Sneed, Mary Ann West, Jane Ramsey, Tricia Lynch, Morris Akers. Standing: Essie Blake, Phyllis Shoemaker, John Nunez. Seated: Margaret Park, Carolyn Deters, Jean Jenks, Dorritt Goldstein, Ruth Willard, Barbara Lester.

Sculpture . . . *a group mold formed and completed after many years of constant endeavors.*

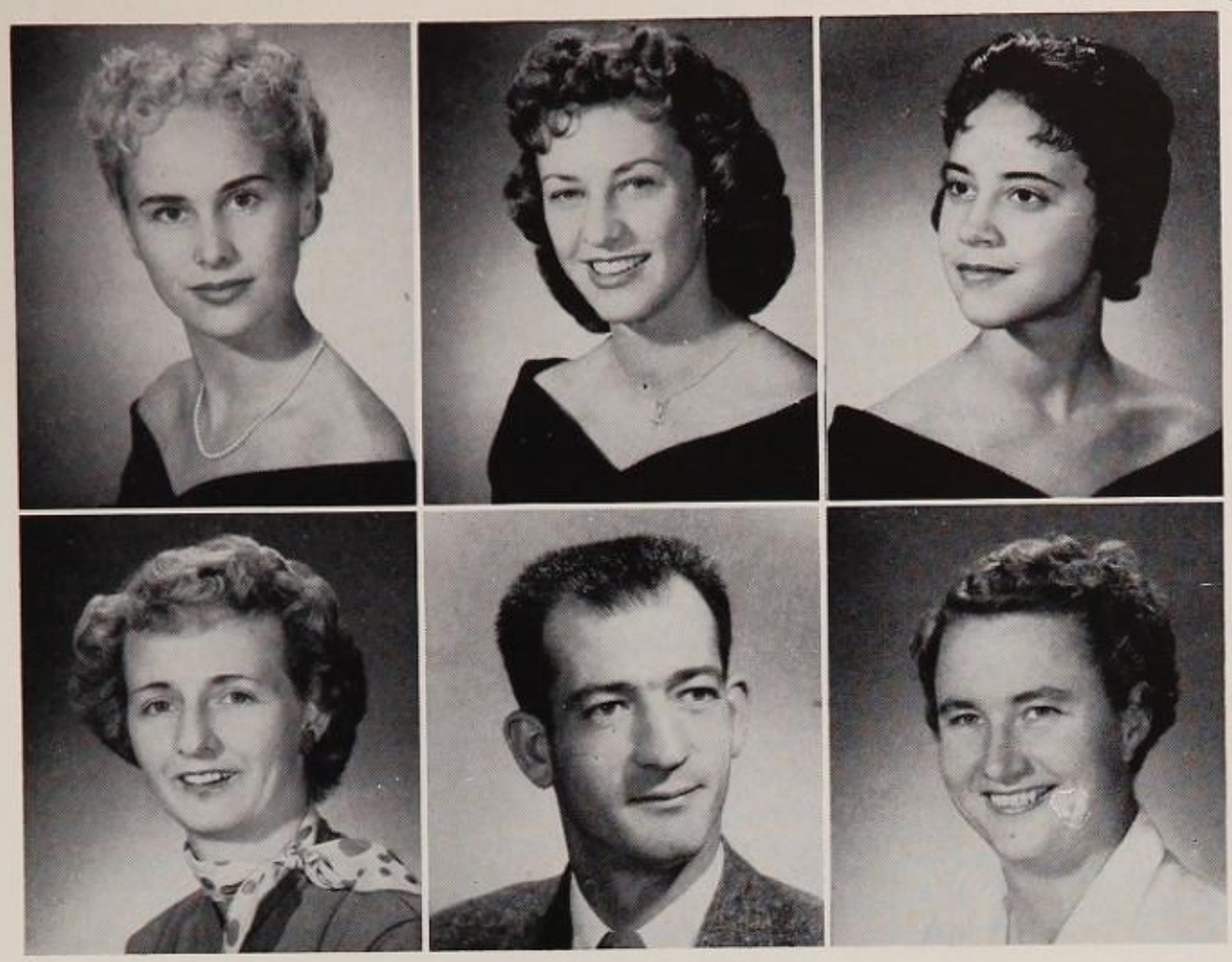


"The Future We Hold in Our Hands"

SENIOR CALENDAR

Senior Play	November 6-7
Senior Skating Party	December 14
Senior Class Dance	April 5
Senior Ditch Day	May 17
Senior Breakfast	June 5
Senior Prom	June 7
Graduation	June 13

SENIOR COUNCIL



Judi Hastings
Vice-President

Judy Letzkus
Secretary

Pat Willis
Treasurer

Miss Dorothy Campbell
Counselor

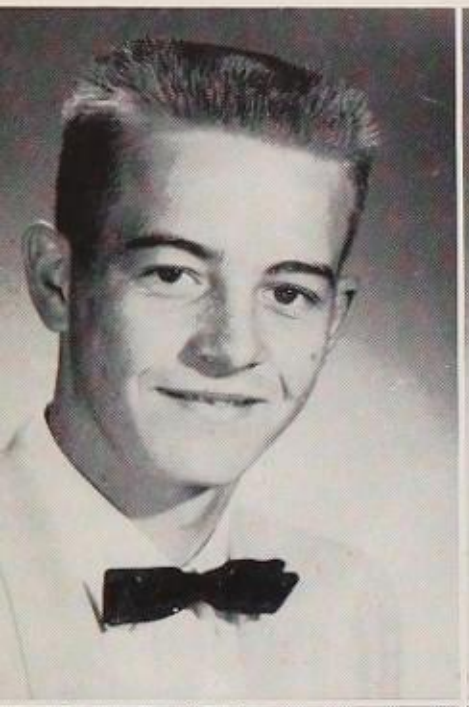
Mr. Sal Gumina
Sponsor

Miss Margaret Ward
Sponsor

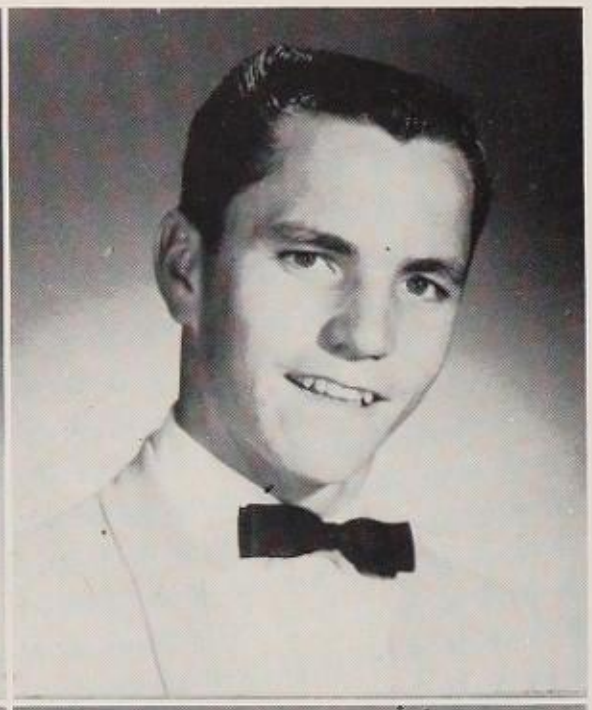
Many activities were promoted by this year's Senior Class. As a hard-working group they did their best to set a fine example for the rest of the school. Even though these students were the leaders and pace-setters for the campus, they were a fun-loving class that had a wonderful time together. Dances, parties, football games, no matter what the occasion, the Class of '57 was always there, ready and eager to take part.

Barbara Nelson
President

WHO'S WHO



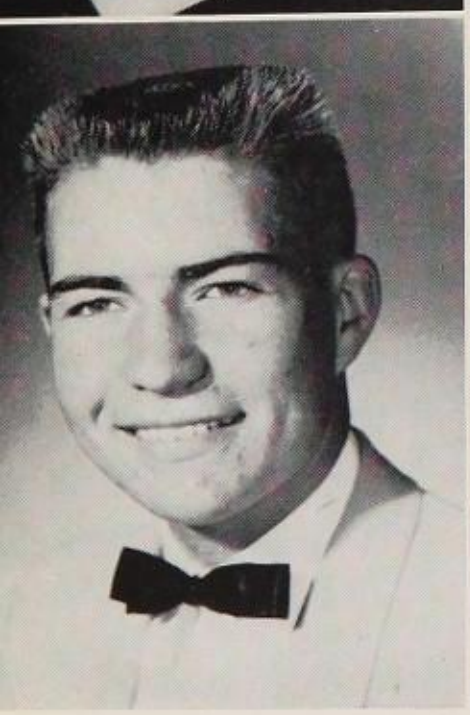
Mischievous brown eyes, blond crewcut, and a wry sense of humor add up to **SCOTT BOYD.** "Brains plus brawn" is perfect for Scott, who not only holds a lifetime C.S.F. membership, but earned his letter for wrestling three years, winning second place in the S.C.I.F. and first place in the Junior A.A.U. wrestling tournaments in his senior year. He played J.V. football, ran track, and was a member of the Varsity Club. He still found time to serve his school for two years in the House of Representatives, as A.S.B. Historian, and as a member of Key Club.



One of the most active students in Kearny was our capable A.S.B. President, **CHARLES CARTMILL.** A top man in sports, Charlie played J.V. football and baseball, lettering in baseball and wrestling for two years. Charlie was a member of the Junior and Senior Councils and a participant in many school clubs, among which were Pep Club, C.S.F., Varsity Club, and Bi-Chem-Phy. His school spirit, co-operation, and vital personality earn him friends wherever he goes. Thanks, Charlie, for helping to make our school such a swell place!

This girl is really a "Who" in Kearny's "Who's Who." As Editor-in-Chief of our annual, she lent a guiding hand to all her staff, and her efforts have helped to make this year's annual one of the best ever. As Colonel of the Drill Units, our gal's sparkle and charm highlighted all Drill Unit activities. She was a busy member of many clubs, such as Drama, G.A.A., and K.D.K. She was elected treasurer of Dianas and received a lifetime membership in C.S.F. This wonderful girl is our **ANNA HENGST!**

A whirlwind of activity with twinkling eyes and a bright smile is **MALYNDIA RAGSDALE.** Malyndia worked for the benefit of her class as a member of the Sophomore, Junior, and Senior Councils, and as Chairman of the Senior Announcement Committee. A member of G.A.A. and Dianas, she was also the enthusiastic Captain of the Pom Pon Corps. Malyndia will always be remembered by her classmates for her lovely singing voice, which graced many Kearny functions throughout her high school years.



This fellow has the distinction of being elected President of Kearny's C.S.F. Chapter both semesters of this year. We all know **TOM TALCOTT** by his friendly smile and cheerful attitude, as well as for his participation in many school activities. He worked for his class and for the school as a member of the Senior and A.S.B. Councils, and as a member of Key Club. Having many and varied interests, Tom was an enthusiastic member of Bi-Chem-Phy, as well as being the able Lieutenant-Colonel of the R.O.T.C.

Soft-voice efficiency describes pretty **PAT WILLIS.** She can easily be identified by the big budget book she carries around while doing her duties as Senior Class Treasurer. The Dianas are proud of Pat, who is their efficient and likeable president. Her co-operation and sweet personality added to many school clubs and activities including C.S.F., Y-Teens, and G.A.A. Pat, working with the other members of the Graduation Committee, helped assure the Class of '57 of a Graduation that will always remain in its memory.

Who's Who was chosen by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, citizenship, and leadership.

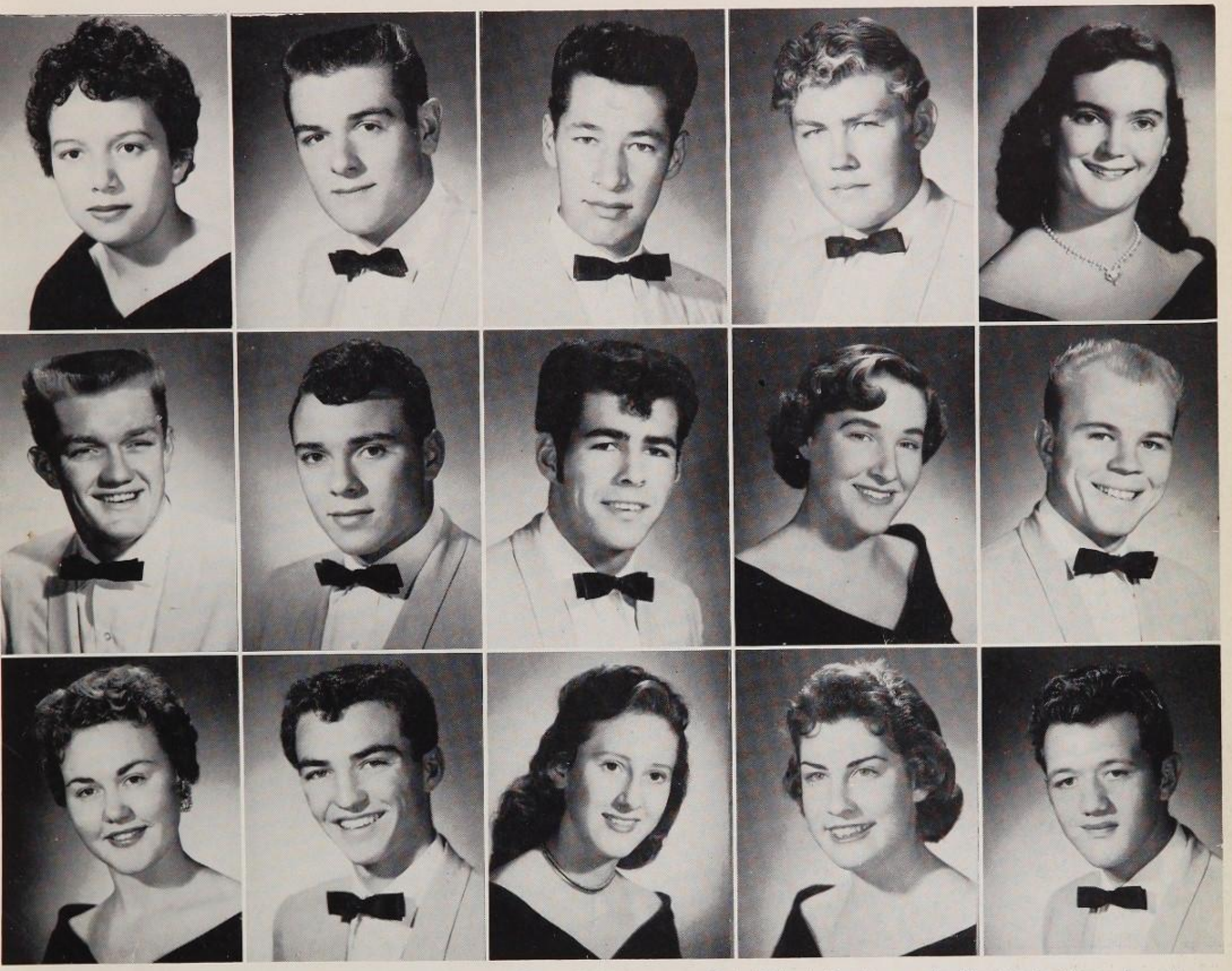
"So Easy To Remember" . . . **Maria Aguirre** was active in Choir. A business major took much of her time. Maria has fulfilled her hopes of marrying that certain person. She is a native of San Diego.

"Friendly Persuasion" . . . **Morris Akers** undertook many worthwhile activities. He was a three-year letterman in wrestling, taking third place in S.C.I.F. while in his Jr. year, and first place as a senior. He was a member of Key Club, a life member of CSF, and chairman of the Ditch Day Comm.

"Come On Get Happy" . . . **Richard Anaya**, a native of San Antonio, New Mexico, was a member of the wrestling and track teams. He also participated in R.O.T.C. for two years. Richard had a business major.

"In My Own Quiet Way" . . . **Darryl Anderson**, who hopes to become a forest ranger, was an officer in R.O.T.C., and one of the crack shots on the rifle team for two years. A native of St. James, Minnesota, Darryl majored in industrial arts and math.

"As Time Goes By" . . . **Barbara Andrien** transferred to Kearny in her senior year from Watsonville. She has a math and science major and has plans of going into engineering. She is a native of Watsonville, California.



"Big And Bashful" . . . **Travis Auiler** was an outstanding athlete while at Kearny. He played end in football, was a mainstay on the track team and performed many great feats in basketball. Travis majored in science and math.

"Nervous Man Nervous" . . . **Benny Badami** is a welcome transfer from Hoover for his senior year. At Hoover he was on the basketball team. Benny majored in music, sang with Choir, and hopes to become another Caruso.

"Gone Fishing" . . . **Dick Barlow** was active in Drama, vocalized with the Choir, and enjoyed playing baseball for two years. Dick majored in music. He hails from New Hampshire.

"School Days" . . . **Fredda Baugh**, when not attending classes, took great pleasure in flying with the C.A.P. Fredda claims Bisbee, Arizona, as her home town. She majored in science, was a supporter of Bi-Chem-Phy, and hopes to go into the WACS after graduating.

"Hello Young Lovers" . . . **Bob Baumgarten**, one of the school's greatest athletes, was much needed on the Varsity football team, and JV and Varsity baseball squads. Bob, a native of Chicago, majored in industrial arts.

"I've Got The World On A String" . . . **Donna Mae Baumgartner** delighted in supporting many activities while at Kearny. She was a member of the Pep Club Council, Junior Council, Ditch Day Committee, Modern Dance, and Drama class. Donna majored in business.

"Mellow" . . . **Wayne Bell** sang harmoniously with Choir and the Quartet. He was an excellent Choir President. Wayne was on the JV and Varsity football teams and wrestling squad. In his senior year he took third in S.C.I.F. wrestling.

"Sweet And Lovely" . . . **Linda Binkley**, better known as Chris, was kept busy with her major of science. She transferred this year from Wisconsin. Chris hails from Chicago and aspires to become an art teacher.

"Forever Yours" . . . **Henrietta Birkel**, whose ambition is to work at the telephone company, was born in San Diego. She enjoyed Choir, Drama, and Dianas. Henrietta was a member of Drum Corps, CSF, Y-Teens, G.A.A., and Hi-Debbers.

"Say It With Music" . . . **Jerry Blackwell**, well known at Kearny for his prowess in football and baseball. He was very efficient as a member of the Choir and added harmony to the Boys' Quartet.

"Beautiful Dreamer" . . . **Yvonne Blair** enjoyed her years of high school while participating in many activities and events. She was seen at most games and dances, and worked hard on the Ditch Day Committee.

"Feel So Good" . . . **Essie Rae Blake** was kept busy by her majors in business, science, and journalism. Essie did an outstanding job as Editor of the KHS News, besides being an able Secretary of Y-Teens, and a member of G.A.A.

"Heeby Jeebies" . . . **David Blevins Jr.** showed great enthusiasm while taking part in three years of golf, two years of "B" basketball, and a year of Varsity football and basketball. Dave, a native of Memphis, Tennessee, majored in business and industrial arts.

"You Stepped Out Of A Dream" . . . **Betty Ann Bonnett,** while only at Kearny for her senior year, joined G.A.A., CSF, Senior Breakfast Committee, Publicity Committee, and Y-Teens. She came from Long Beach, and has a major in math.

"Wheels Of Fortune" . . . **Scott Boyd** was President of Hi-Y, a life member of CSF, in Key Club, and student government. He was also a three-year letterman in wrestling, taking second place in S.C.I.F., and first place in Jr. AAU Tournament. He majored in math and science.

"Destination Love" . . . **Darrienne Braley,** who hopes to become a doctor's receptionist, had many happy times at Kearny while participating as a member of the ASB Council and Y-Teens.

"Hello Baby" . . . **Beverly Ann Brannon,** whose only desire is to be successful, was quite active in the G.A.A., on the Senior Prom and Publicity Committees, and in Pep Club. Beverly was born here in San Diego.

"Rock-A-Bye Baby" . . . **Alice May Brewer,** who came to Kearny this year from New Orleans, became quite active with G.A.A., Senior Publicity Committee, Pep Club, and Senior Breakfast Committee. She majored in science and plans to go into nursing.

"You Got Me Dizzy" . . . **Gary Butcher** was active as a guard on the Varsity football team, played "B" basketball and JV baseball. He comes from Grand Junction, Colorado. Gary majored in industrial arts and is undecided as to his future.

"Vagabond Lover" . . . **Charles Buttner** was well known around school for his carefree and easy-going personality. He had a business major. Chuck was very active in drama and played an important role in "The Curious Savage."

"Ain't She Sweet" . . . **Peggy Ann Campbell,** a business major, hopes to become an airline stewardess. Peggy is a native of Hayti, Missouri, and was on the Publicity Committee and in the Senior Play.

"Too Much Monkey Business" . . . **Monte Cantrell,** who hails from McAlester, Oklahoma, showed great vigor by participating in track and wrestling. Monte's major was industrial arts, and he hopes someday to own a good car.

"Cherry Lips" . . . **Mary Carabajal** had a business major in preparation for her ambition of becoming a secretary. She enjoyed singing with Choir and participating in their many functions. Mary was often found at many activities.

"Spring Fever" . . . **Raymond T. Carlton** is a native of Cana, N. Carolina. He participated in R.O.T.C., Choir, and Drama. Ray also went out for wrestling. Preparing for his ambition of going into the Ministry, Ray majored in speech arts.

"Fabulous Character" . . . **Charles Cartmill** was our ever-efficient A.S.B. President. He will long be remembered as a fine member on the wrestling and baseball squads for three years. He added spark to Jr. and Sr. Councils, CSF, and Bi-Chem-Phy.

"Something To Behold" . . . **Elisa Contreras** was a helpful member of the student body. She is a transfer this year from Chico, California, and had business as her major.

"Hey There" . . . **James Cooper** was an enthusiastic supporter of Kearny's athletic events. An industrial arts major, Jim hopes to become an auto mechanic.

"You Are My Sunshine" . . . **Jean Cortwright** left school at mid-term. Before leaving Kearny, she majored in business. Jean enjoyed attending many games and dances.

"With A Song In My Heart" . . . **Sandra Cox** was kept busy with her homemaking, which will help in her future plans as a housewife. Sandra, a long time resident of San Diego, has been active in many high school functions.

"Sweet Adeline" . . . **Mary Coyle** delighted in participating in her many activities. She was treasurer of Choir, in Dianas, and Y-Teens, and was a drummer in the Drill Units. Mary comes from Boston, and hopes to become a private secretary.

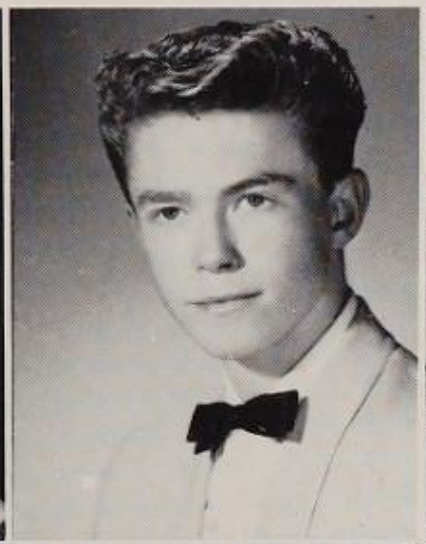
"Eloise" . . . **Sheila Coyle** will long be remembered at Kearny for her wonderful pantomimes and imitations. She participated in G.A.A., Y-Teens and Drama, and has aspirations of being a successful performer.

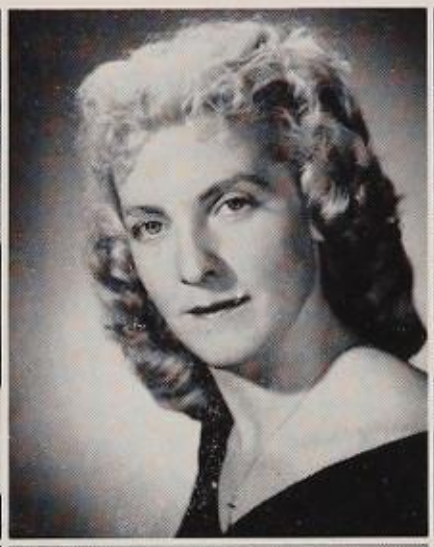
"Oh Happy Day" . . . **Jerry Coziahr,** one of Kearny's speediest athletes, ran on the track teams for three years. Jerry majored in industrial arts. He is a native of Grand Junction, Colorado, and hopes to go into forestry.

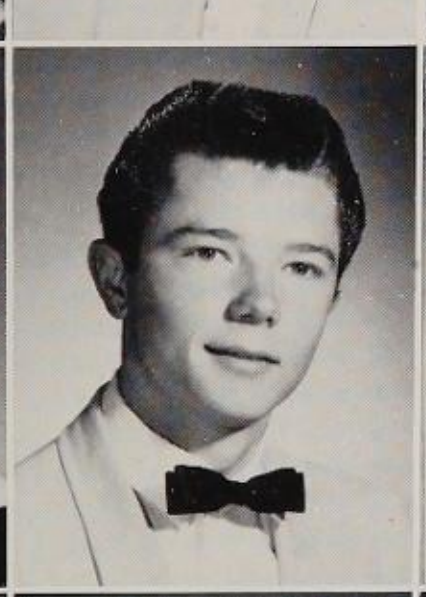
"Lucky, Lucky, Me" . . . **Charles Crowell** could often be found working on his car, which was a fine preparation for his plans of becoming a mechanic. He is a long-time resident of Linda Vista, and comes from Arlington, Calif.

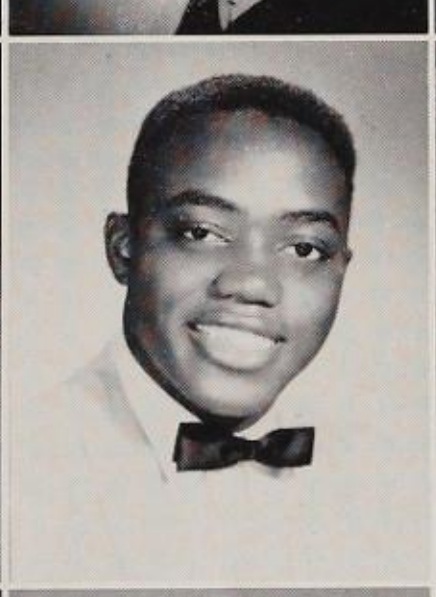
"Mr. Wonderful" . . . **Authur Cunningham,** very active athletically, was a member of the Varsity football, JV football, and Varsity and JV baseball, while at Kearny. He also was on the A.S.B. Council as Commissioner of Boys' Athletics.

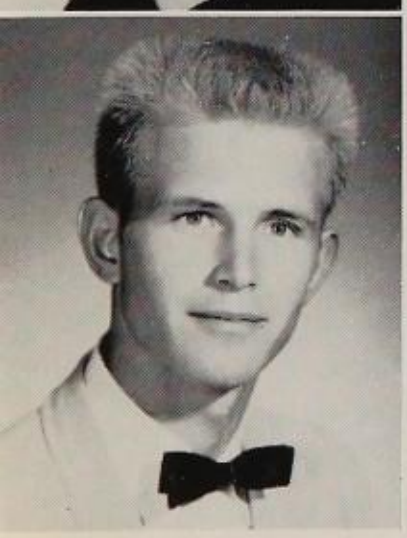
"Sweet Old Fashioned Girl" . . . **Sharon Lee Danna,** a business major, comes from St. Louis, Missouri. She wants someday to become Phil's private secretary. While at Kearny, she contributed her talents to KHS News and Hi-Debbers.

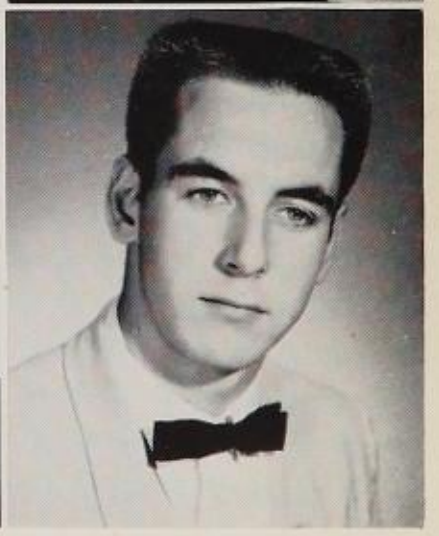












"Happy Wanderer" . . . **Ted Duncan** counted among his activities JV football, baseball, and "just bummin' around." Ted, who had many fine times at Kearny, came from Moab, Utah and majored in math.

"If You Knew Suzy" . . . **Suzanne Dufresne** had a science major. She helped support the class with Senior Council, cake and coke sales, as well as skits for pep rallies. Suzanne hails from San Diego and wishes to become a scientist.

"Star Eyed" . . . **Janice Duhme** made many excellent contributions to the school in her work in art service. Janice also took interest in going to many athletic events and school dances. Her major is art.

"Lavender Blue" . . . **Laurelen Dukelow** was always busy with one of her many organizations. Lyn was Captain of Drum Corps, on the Senior Breakfast Committee, KHS News, Cap and Gown Committee and was in Drama, G.A.A., Y-Teens and Choir.

"Fine And Dandy" . . . **John Edwards,** who plans on being either a veterinarian or on the State Highway Patrol, majored in shops and science. He was very popular around the campus.

"Miss Sue" . . . **Audrey Mae Daniels,** a very pleasant person around school, was active in Y-Teens, G.A.A., Choir, and Drill Units. A business and homemaking major, she hopes to become a P.E. or Homemaking teacher. Audrey comes from New Orleans, La.

"It's My Lazy Day" . . . **Ronald Davis**, a three-year member of R.O.T.C., was active on the Sound Crew. Ronnie added a lot of fun to the senior class, and took interest in shops, which helped in his major of industrial arts. He is a native of Utah.

"High And Mighty" . . . **Robert De Rieux** proved his athletic merits in football and baseball. He was born in California and has been active with his major in industrial arts. Bob was in R.O.T.C. for two years.

"Fancy Free" . . . **David Dowling** was athletically inclined and was a member of the Varsity football squad. He had an industrial arts major. A native of Ashland, Kentucky, Dave hopes to become an engineer.

"It's A Woman's World" . . . **Marietta Ducote** devoted her talents to such organizations as Dianas, K.D.K., Jr. Class Council, Commencement Comm., and CSF. Marietta was splendid as Girls' League President. A native of New Orleans, she majored in science.

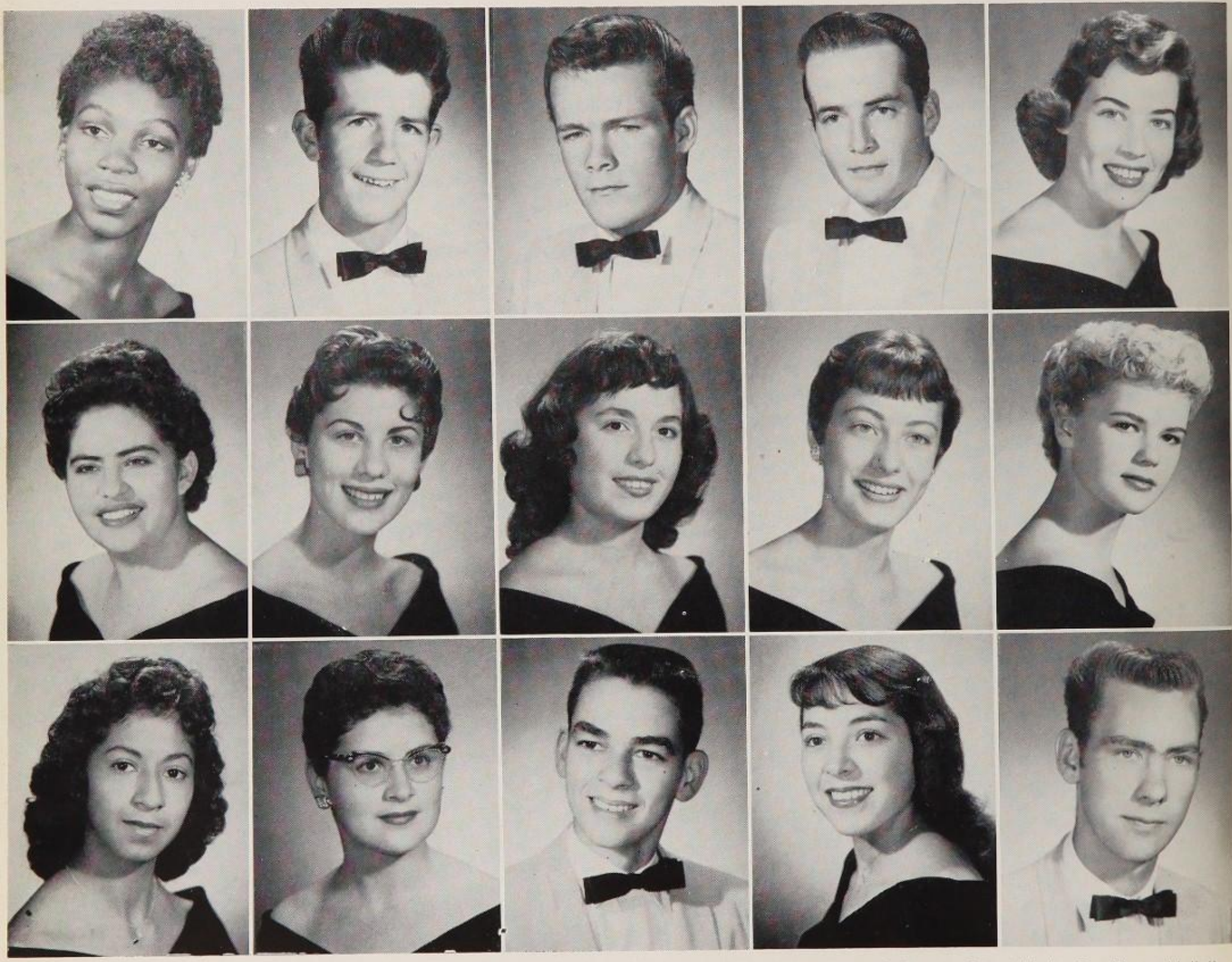
"Sweet Violets" . . . **Amada Escamilla,** who hopes to go back to her hometown of Corpus Christi, Texas, and marry a rich old man, was a very welcome member of the student body. She always had a pleasant smile for everyone.

"Embraceable You" . . . **Pat Feistal,** who played many major roles in the Drama class productions, also participated in Choir and the Baccalaureate Comm. Pat was very active around the campus and was always seen at football and basketball games and dances.

"Little One" . . . **Rose Marie Fellows,** much admired for her sweet disposition, was kept busy with her many activities. These included Y-Teens President, Second Lieutenant in Pom Pon Corps, G.A.A., and Jr. Class Vice-President.

"Lovey Dovey" . . . **Linda Fincher,** who hopes to become a fashion designer, was very active as exhibitionist in Pom Pon Corps, and was in Choir. She participated in Drama and served the class on the Junior and Senior Council.

"A Star Is Born" . . . **Dee Anne Flaming,** a very capable member of Drama, played a leading role in the Senior Play. She sang with the Choir for three years and was on the Annual Staff as Art Editor. Dee Anne was most enthusiastic as head songleader and also a very charming R.O.T.C. Queen's attendant.



"Little Girl" . . . **Esther (Dingle) Flores** hails from San Diego. She added zest to the Senior Class Council, Junior Co-Ordinating Council, class cake sales, and was always rooting at pep rallies and games. She had a business major.

"That's Amore" . . . **Ann Fracchiolla,** who always had a cheery smile and was our indispensable Commissioner of Public Relations, also added spark to Drama, Choir, and Drill Units. Ann, a native of Milwaukee, majored in the sciences.

"All About Ronnie" . . . **Ronald Frick** had two majors, science and industrial arts. His birthplace is Cleveland, Ohio, and he was kept busy with cross country, track, Bi-Chem-Phy, and Drama.

"Indian Love Call" . . . **Betty Jo Funk** had many happy days at Kearny, while attending all games and dances around school. A native of Las Vegas, Nevada, Betty Jo had a business major.

"Hello Out There, Hello" . . . **Larry Gangwisch** became a high ranking officer in his three years of R.O.T.C. One of the top scorers on the rifle team, he was also on the sound crew and K.H.S. News. Larry, a native of Denver, Colo., had majors in math and science as he plans to become a construction engineer.

"Big Wide Wonderful World" . . . **Barbara Gaughen** was busy as Copy and Art Editor on the Komet staff. She participated on the Senior Breakfast Comm. and was a life member of CSF. Her ambition is to be Head Operating Nurse at Mercy Hospital.

"Smiling Through" . . . **Kay Glasco,** who hopes to become either a secretary or nurse, came from Norfolk, Virginia, and had a business major. She enjoyed singing with the Choir and worked diligently on the KHS News.

"Time Will Tell" . . . **Pilar Gonzalez** hopes to go into secretarial work. To aid her in this, she majored in business. A native of San Diego, Pilar was active in Choir.

"Baby Face" . . . **Kathryne Goodman,** a science major, hails from Stuart, Okla. She participated in many activities, including Y-Teens, Ditch Day Comm., Future Teachers of America, and Bi-Chem-Phy. Her ambition is to go into teaching.

"Johnny Guitar" . . . **Gaston Gourdin** hails from Nogales, Ariz., and was one of Kearny's most outstanding musicians. With his natural ability, many performances, and a major in music, Gus should go far in his ambition of being a musical entertainer.

"High On The List" . . . **Eirven Green,** one of Kearny's finest athletes, participated in basketball and baseball, lettering for three years. Eirven was chosen for the all-city basketball squad. He majored in industrial arts and is from Baton Rouge, La.

"She'll Always Remember" . . . **Joan Marie Green,** who likes the wide open spaces, hopes to own a certain ranch in Montana with a certain cowboy. She is a native of Marshalltown, Iowa. She majored in homemaking.

"Very, Very Popular" . . . **Wilmer Green** with math and science majors also was an overpowering athlete. A live-wire for three years in football, basketball and baseball, Wil contributed much to the Kearny cause. He is from Baton Rouge, La.

"Laugh" . . . **Kathryn Louise Griffith** was a member of the Mixed Chorus, Y-Teens, and Hi-Debbers. She comes from Pasco, Washington, and had a homemaking major. She wants to become a housewife.

"Sweet And Gentle" . . . **Elsa Guillory,** who came to Kearny in her senior year, became an enthusiastic supporter of school functions. Elsa's ambition is to let her hair grow long. Her birth place is Houston, Texas.

"Bury Me Not On The Lone Prairie" . . . **Bob Gump,** well known as Spots, used his height to his advantage in going out for football and basketball. He was a member of R.O.T.C. for two years and majored in mathematics.

"Smiling Irish Eyes" . . . **Bob Gunyan,** a native of Rock Shrimp, Wyoming, spent many hours in the shops with his major of industrial arts. Making use of this training, Bob plans to become a mechanic.

"Memories" . . . **Joyce Gustafson** was kept busy with Dianas, Pom Pon Corps, A Cappella Choir, CSF, Drama and Y-Teens. To become a teacher is her ambition. She majored in foreign languages.

"Temptation" . . . **Sandie Hanley,** from Bowagick, Mich., hopes to become a June bride. A familiar sight in the offices, Sandie worked on the switchboard. She was active in senior affairs as a member of the House of Representatives and as stage manager of the Senior Play.

"The Wanderer" . . . **Bradford Harrison,** an industrial arts and music major, hankers for the easy-going life of a tramp. A native of Pittsburg, Texas, Bradford was active in three years of track.

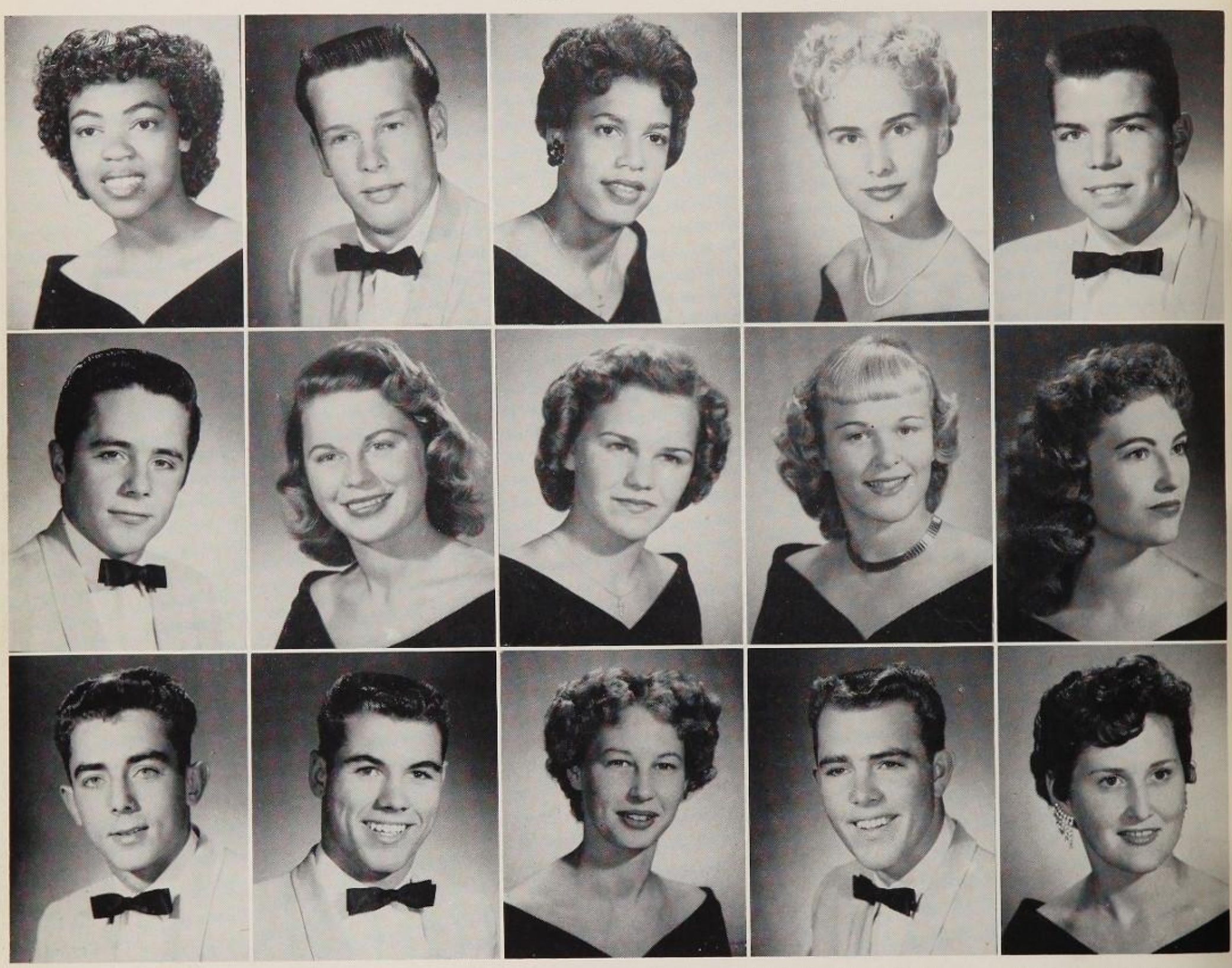
"Get Rhythm" . . . **Mary Dean Harrison,** who desires to become a successful seamstress, hails from Pittsburg, Texas. She had a home economics and mathematics major, and participated in G.A.A. and art service.

"Moonlight Gambler" . . . **Herschel Hart** hopes someday to become a pattern-maker, and in preparation for this, he majored in shops and science. Herschel comes from the town of Robstown, Oklahoma.

"Long Tall Sally" . . . **Norma Lee Hasten,** who cannot decide whether to be a cosmetologist or a seamstress, had a homemaking and business major. She was a member of Y-Teens, and was in G.A.A. for three years. Norma hails from Columbia, Missouri.

"Anything You Can Do, I Can Do Better" . . . **Judi Hastings,** one of Kearny's busiest students, was Senior Class Vice-President, in Choir as Choir Librarian, A.S.B. Council Historian, on K.H.S. News, Drill Units, and was president of the Junior Co-Ordinating Council.

"You Make Me Feel So Young" . . . **John Hedrick** was active in J.V. football and track. John plans to take advantage of his training earned while majoring in science by going into a scientific profession. John is a native of Minnesota.



"Honkey Tonk Heart" . . . **Ronnie Heitman** served the class by sitting on the Senior Council. He was kept busy with his major in industrial arts. Ronnie could often be seen cheering at football and basketball games, and was present at all dances.

"All The Things You Are" . . . **Anna Hengst** was our efficient Editor-in-Chief of the '57 Komet, Colonel of the Drill Units, treasurer of Dianas, a life member of CSF, Senior Breakfast Comm. chairman, in K.D.K., Drama, G.A.A., and Y-Teens.

"You're So Fine" . . . **Gail Maxine Hinch** took a business major in preparation for her ambition of becoming a PBX operator. Gail came to Kearny from her birthplace of Warsaw, Illinois.

"Ain't 'Cha Glad" . . . **Jerene Hinrichs** kept active by attending many games and dances. She participated in Drama and Scribblers' Frolic. A native of Glenville, Nebraska, she had a business major.

"One In A Million" . . . **Wanda Hogan** was the Komet Staff Typist for two years and did an effective job on K.D.K., Drama, and in Drill Units. She majored in business.

"Love And Marriage" . . . **Dean (Bud) Hottel** added zest and drive to the J.V. and Varsity football teams. He was also a capable member of the J.V. baseball and "B" basketball squads. Bud, who comes from Everson, Washington, had an industrial arts major.

"Brown-Eyed Handsome Man" . . . **Bill Inderweis,** a threat to opposing football teams, was also one of our outstanding wrestlers. Bill majored in math, but hopes never to see a math book again. He comes from Washington, D.C.

"I Only Have Eyes For You" . . . **Patricia Louise Inhofe** shared many good times on the Announcement Comm., Junior Prom bids, and the Senior Play. Pat is a native of the city of Pasadena, California, and took a business major.

"Dreamy Eyes" . . . **Jim Jenks** kept busy with his art and industrial arts majors. Active athletically, Jim went out for football and wrestling. He is a native of San Diego, and hopes to become a teacher at Kearny.

"She's A Lady" . . . **Barbara Johnson** was active on the Senior Council and added harmony while singing in the Choir. Barbara had a homemaking major and is a long-time resident of San Diego.

"Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" . . . **Gail Jones** was the first girl track manager in San Diego. She was also active in the Pom Pon Corps as captain. She is from Nebraska, majored in business, and hopes to become a track coach.

"Without A Song" . . . **Judy Jones,** an outstanding artist, worked hard on her art and business majors. She also was busy as A.S.B. Clerk and in Drama. A native of Leavenworth, Kansas, Judy wants to be a secretarial housewife.

"We're All Good Fellows" . . . **Bill Keltner** wants to go into the air force. He majored in industrial arts and participated for two years in JV football and a year in Varsity football. Bill hails from Jackson, Michigan.

"Jeanie With The Light Brown Hair" . . . **Jean Killgore** was Major of the Drum Corps, a life member of CSF, in Dianas, G.A.A., on Senior Breakfast Comm., Jr. Co-Ordinating Council, and was KDK secretary. Jean, from Alexander City, Alabama, majored in math.

"One Of The Roving Kind" . . . **Harold Kirby** lettered in basketball and went out for football and baseball. Harold had an industrial arts major, and is a native of Bisbee, Arizona.

"By And By" . . . **Roger Knapp** majored in industrial arts. An ardent school supporter, Roger went out for JV and Varsity football squads. He hopes to become a mechanic upon graduating.

"Till The End of Time" . . . **Rosina Elizabeth Knotts** took part in Y-Teens and Choir. Preparing for her ambition of becoming a teacher, Rosy was active in Future Teachers. Rosina had many good times in her senior year.

"As Sweet As Can Be" . . . **Nancy Ann Kromer** has a career of teaching in mind and took a business major. A native of Portland, Maine, Nancy added zest to Y-Teens and G.A.A.

"Nature Boy" . . . **Rudy Labastida** fired accurately in the R.O.T.C. rifle team for three years. He also was a cadet officer in the corps. Rudy majored in industrial arts and has future plans of going into the army.

"Man About Town" . . . **Harold L. Lambert,** in preparation of becoming a civil engineer, majored in science and math. He was Literary Editor on the Komet and achieved a high rank in R.O.T.C. Harold was a life member of CSF, on the Ditch Day Comm., and in Hi-Y and Key Club.

"Because Of You" . . . **Ronald Larman** was active in Journalism and Drama. Tulare, California, is his hometown. He had both a business and industrial arts major.

"Paper Doll" . . . **Drusilla Ann Lawton** added pep and spark to the Senior Council, Hi-Debbers, G.A.A. and Drama. She has a business major and hopes to become a secretary. Drue is a native of Camden, New Jersey.

"I Cross My Fingers" . . . **Margaret Lee** represented the class in House of Representatives two years and on the Senior Ring Comm. She was in work experience and on the Scribblers' Frolic. A native of Brawley, Calif., Margaret had majors in business and art.

"Lovely To Look At" . . . **Judy Letzkus** was class secretary. She was on the Sr. and Jr. Council, a member of the House of Representatives, Breakfast Comm. and also participated in Choir and Pom Pon Corps. Judy had a business and home economics major.

"Life Of The Party" . . . **Caroline Levonyak,** known as La La, was on Junior Co-Ordinating Council, Senior Prom Comm., Senior Ditch Day Comm. and KHS News. La La hopes to become a stenographer, taking a business major.

"Day By Day" . . . **George Limon** was an expert rifle team firer and a high ranking R.O.T.C. officer. He was also on the Sound Crew. George had a science major and is a native of San Diego.

"Count Your Blessings" . . . **Cleavon J. Little** hopes to become an actor, and started with his role in the Sr. Play and Spring Play. Besides Drama, Cleavon was active in football, basketball, baseball, track, and Choir. Cleavon hails from Chickasha, Oklahoma.

"Honey Chile" . . . **Jacqueline Logan** aspires to be an airline hostess. She comes from Columbia, Missouri, and majored in business administration and home economics. She was in G.A.A., Y-Teens, Drama, and modern dance.

"I'm Sitting On Top Of The World" . . . **Frank Lopez** was a cadet in R.O.T.C. for three years. He is a native of San Diego and hopes to become a guitar player. Frank majored in industrial arts.

"Bashful" . . . **Ronald Love** took interest in R.O.T.C. activities, as a cadet officer in his third year. Ronald, who majored in science and math, participated on Sound Crew. He claims Glendale, Calif., as his home town.

"Love And Marriage" . . . **Tricia Lynch** achieved her ambition of marrying Bud. She was ASB Vice-President, Jr. and Sr. Homecoming attendant, on Jr. Council, KHS News, Prom, Ditch Day Committees, and Sophomore Secretary. She majored in foreign language.

"Full Of Fun" . . . **Bill McCain,** with an art major, hopes to become a commercial artist. He is a native of Childress, Texas, and was capable in Varsity football and track.

"When I Was Young" . . . **Travis McCann** lent an air of pleasantness to the school. Travis was always very congenial and well liked. He majored in science.

"She's Got It" . . . **Jo Ann McDonough** had a business major. She was busy on House of Representatives Prom Comm., in Girls' Choir; was Commissioner of Organizations, and was adviser to all new clubs. Jodie comes from Mexico, Missouri.

"Young At Heart" . . . **Velma McSpadden** worked as Sophomore President, on House of Representatives, Jr. Council, and Hi-Debber Council. She was also in Pom Pon Corps and A Cappella Choir. Velma's portrayal of "Ginger" in the Senior Play was wonderful.

"Powder Your Face With Sunshine" . . . **Joy Maier** aspires to become a telephone operator. She belonged to Hi-Debbers and Girls' Service Organization. She comes from Jersey City, and had a business major.

"Dear One" . . . **Barbara Majchrowicz** claimed membership in Drill Units, Dianas, Scribblers' Frolic, CSF, Y-Teens, Spanish Club, and Senior Breakfast Committee. She hopes someday to be a dress designer. Barbara majored in language.

"All I Desire" . . . **Esther Martinez** sang with Choir, and was on the Senior Prom Comm. Esther, one of Kearny's ardent supporters, had a homemaking major, and she hopes someday to weigh an even 100 pounds.

"You're A Darling" . . . **Mary Helen Martinez** was very capable on Junior Cake Committee, Junior Council, and Announcement Comm. She was also active in Y-Teens. She had majors in homemaking and foreign language.

"Too Wonderful For Words" . . . **Lucy Martinez,** whose ambition is to learn to drive, was well known around Kearny for her participation in Drama. Lucy or "Fu Fu," as she was known, chose business for her major.

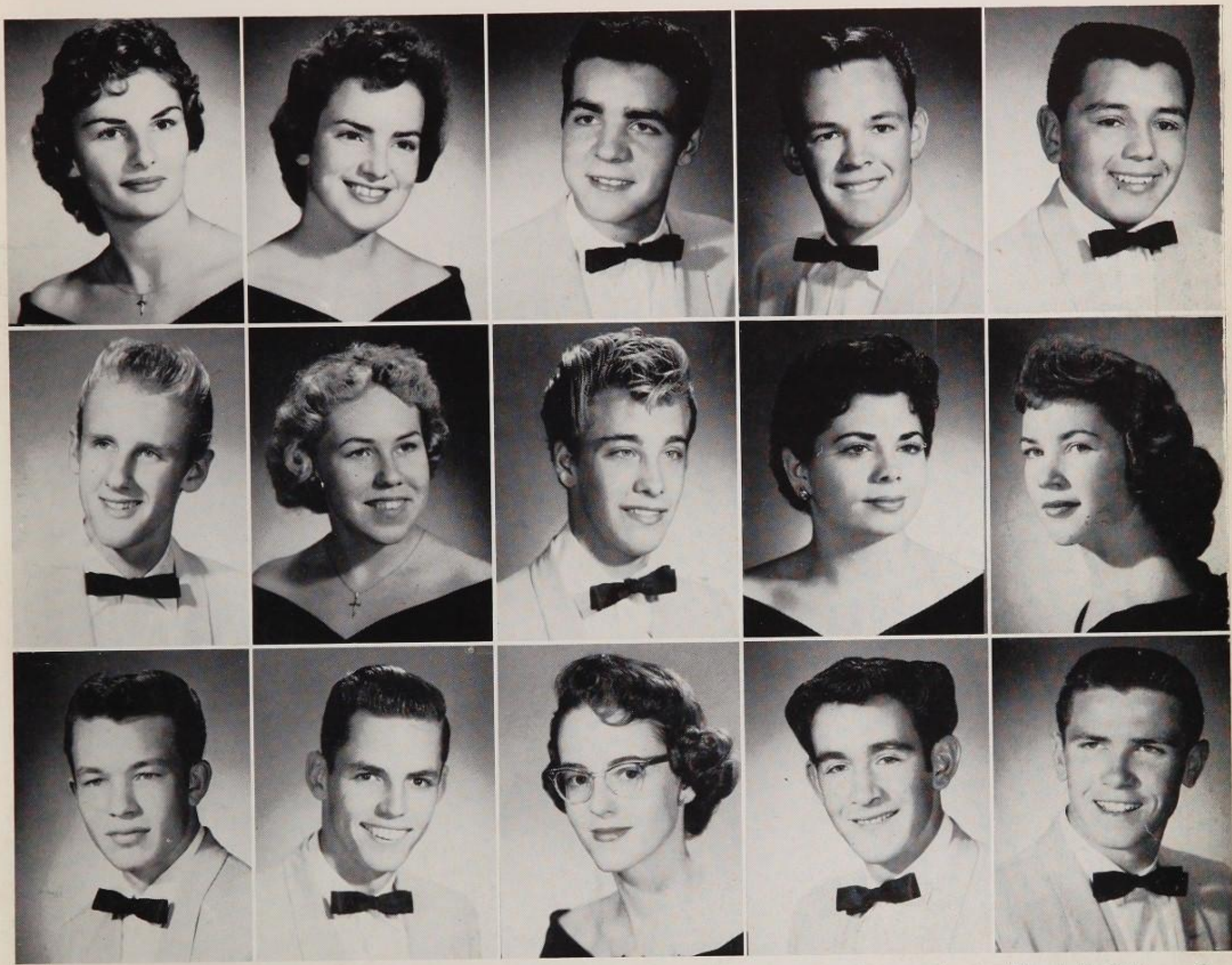
"I'll Be Seeing You" . . . **Elaine Mattei** took a business major in preparation for her ambition of becoming a secretary. She was an active member of Drama. Elaine comes from New York.

"Sweetie Pie" . . . **Carol Ann May,** a native of San Diego, took business as her major. She participated in Band, Dance Club, Glee Club, Y-Teens, and G.A.A.

"I Get A Kick Out Of You" . . . **Donald Menzies** wants to ramble through life as a hobo. He performed splendidly in the Senior Play. Don was an outstanding athlete, playing J.V. and Varsity football.

"I'm Always Chasing Rainbows" . . . **Philip Mize,** whose ambition is to become an architect, is a native of Pasadena, California. Philip took an industrial arts program. He participated in cross country.

"Take Me Out To The Ballgame" . . . **Donald Mojado,** an outstanding athlete at Kearny, was on the football, baseball, and wrestling squads. He was also in the Band and Pep Band. Don had a business major but hopes to become a professional baseball player.



"Mr. Sandman" . . . **Roy Monroe** was outstanding in cross country and other track events. Roy had an industrial arts major, while planning on going into his future work.

"Only You" . . . **Betty Myers** hopes to become a commercial artist. She added spark to Drama and Y-Teens. Betty was also in Pep Club and Hi-Debbers.

"Ramblin' Man" . . . **Norman Mynatt** was very capable as the K.H.S. News Staff Photographer. Norman, who hails from Columbus, Ohio, had an industrial arts major.

"A Pretty Girl Is Like A Melody" . . . **Barbara Nelson** was efficient as Jr. and Sr. President, kept busy with Flagtwirling, Drama, Pep Club Council, and Choir. Barbara worked on the Komet Staff as Art Editor. A native of Bowlingreen, Ohio, she majored in art.

"Wonderful Girl" . . . **Carol Nelson** was one of our peppy songleaders and played an important role in the Senior Play. Carol was on K.D.K., in Choir, and Drill Units. She was also on the Senior Council. Carol had a business major.

"There'll Never Be Another You" . . . **Robert Nelson** played the lead in the Senior Play and was director of the spring play. Bob was active in Choir, on the Senior Council, and House of Representatives. He majored in shops.

"Look For The Silver Lining" . . . **Don Noble** enjoyed his years at Kearny while taking part in many extra-curricular activities. Don had industrial arts for his major.

"Charmaine" . . . **Betty Nolan** had a science and math major. Better known as "Duffy," she was a member of Dianas, Flagtwirlers, CSF, Y-Teens, Pom Pon Corps, Jr. Council, House of Representatives, and Bi-Chem-Phy. Duffy claims Philipsburg, Pennsylvania, as her birth place.

"Roving Eye" . . . **John Nunez,** S.C.I.F. Wrestling Champ for two years, was a three-year member of the wrestling and baseball teams. John, who comes from San Diego, had an industrial arts major. John participated on the K.H.S. News Staff and hopes to become a draftsman.

"I'll Walk The Line" . . . **Charles Oswalt** played an important figure in drama productions, especially the Senior and Spring Plays. He was also a high ranking R.O.T.C. officer. He majored in math.

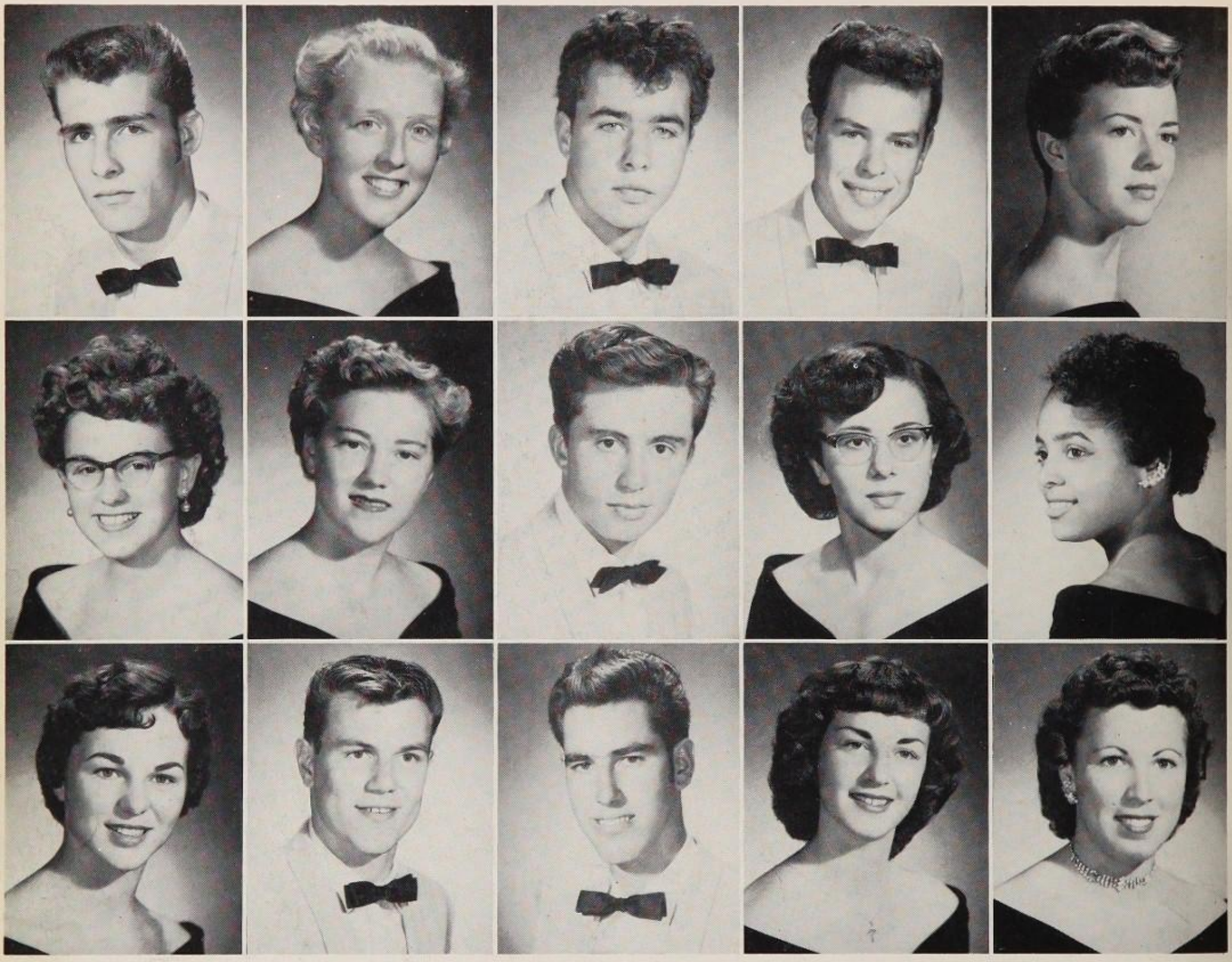
"My Desire" . . . **Rod Palmer** could often be found working on his car in auto shop. Rod says that he has no particular ambitions other than to have no ambition. He is from Hollywood, California, and had a science major.

"Your Golden Hair" . . . **Margaret Park** was active for three years in the Drum Corps and G.A.A. Margaret claims Parberton, Ohio, as her hometown, and had a business major.

"Only Jim" . . . **James Parrish** enjoyed participating in senior class activities. He could often be found working in the shops where he took his major. Jim hopes to become a mechanic after graduation.

"Eddie My Love" . . . **Eddie Peterson,** who hopes to go into the air force, comes from Brooklyn, New York, and had an industrial arts major. Eddie, who came back to Kearny after being in Japan, played basketball and was a cheerleader while in Japan.

"A—You're Adorable" . . . **Dossie Phillips** was outstanding as our bouncing head cheerleader. She took great interest in helping the class by working hard on the Senior Council and House of Representatives. Dossie majored in business.



"Truly, Truly Fair" . . . **Darlene Platt** was active in Dianas, CSF, Y-Teens, and Pep Club. She had a business major and is from Delta, Colorado.

"Unforgettable" . . . **Nadine Prior,** one of Kearny's outstanding girl athletes, was elected as Commissioner of Girls' Athletics. She was in the House of Representatives and played a wonderful part in the Drama classes' spring play.

"Give My Regards To Broadway" . . . **Richard Raymond Puraty** was chairman of the Cap and Gown Comm., choir publicity, and in Drama. He was Commissioner of Cultural Affairs, and on the Commencement Comm. Richard is a native of San Diego and had majors in speech arts and music.

"You're The Tops" . . . **Sara Rabago,** when not busy attending classes, took great interest in flying. She was an active member of the C.A.P. Sara majored in science and plans on entering the WACS.

"Cool It, Baby" . . . **Malyndia Ragsdale** sang with the Choir, was in Dianas, Captain of the Pom Pon Corps, Senior Announcements Chairman, Hi-Debbers, G.A.A., class councils, and Choir Secretary. A science and music major, she comes from Muskegee, Oklahoma.

"Hello, Young Lovers" . . . **Jane Ramsey** graced Dianas, Flagtwirlers, Songleaders, Pom Pon Corps, and Y-Teens with her membership. She added much to K.H.S. News, Ditch Day Comm., and junior council. Jane comes from Williams, Okla., and majored in business.

"If I Were King" . . . **Larry Ray** was a speedy member of the track team. He also kept busy with his majors in science and business. Larry's hometown is Long Beach, California.

"Traveling Mood" . . . **Bill Reynolds** was interested in athletics. He went out for the track team for two years. Bill spent much of his time on his majors in industrial arts and art. He was outstanding in art service.

"Adorable" . . . **Judie Richards** claims Oakland, California, as her hometown. She was active in Drama and on the Baccalaureate Comm. Judie had a business major.

"You Belong To Me" . . . **Evelyn Mae Rigg** hopes to work in the office of the Telephone Company. A native of New York City, Evelyn was active in Mixed Chorus, Hi-Debbers, and Y-Teens. She majored in business.

'Old Fashioned Sweetheart" . . . **Mary Alice Rogers** kept busy with her majors in math and science. Mary, whose ambition is to become a laboratory technician, comes from Detroit, Michigan.

"I'll Never Forget You" . . . **Wilma Jean Rolin** has the ambition of becoming a violinist. She prepared for this by playing for "Girl Crazy" and for the Graduation ceremonies for two years. Wilma had home economics and mathematics majors.

"Beautiful Brown Eyes" . . . **Barbara Romero**, nicknamed "Bobo," served her school as Commissioner of Organizations, on House of Representatives, as Sophomore Vice-President, on Sophomore and Junior Councils, Y-Teens, Scribblers' Frolics, Junior Coke Sale, Ditch Day, Prom, and Graduation Committees.

"You Ought To Be In Pictures" . . . **Marlene Romero** was a newcomer to Kearny as a senior. She had a business major. Marlene found time to participate in dramatic functions. Her ambition is to be an airline stewardess.

"Hey Chiquita" . . . **Monica Marie Romero** has the noble ambition of working in an orphanage or school for the handicapped. She hails from San Diego, and majored in business.

"You've Got To Have Heart" . . . **Ronald Romero** hopes to become an engineer. He came to Kearny in his senior year from his hometown of Tucson, Arizona. While at Kearny, he finished his major in art.

"Peg O' My Heart" . . . **Peggy Roop** was a participant in Y-Teens, CSF, and Drama. She has the career of a commercial artist in mind. A native of Adrom, Ohio, Peggy majored in business.

"All I Need Is You" . . . **Larry Rose** worked hard on his major in industrial arts. He claims Newton, Iowa, as his hometown and was active in basketball.

"Yellow Rose Of Texas" . . . **Nancy Rose** hopes to be a secretary and prepared for this by majoring in business. Nancy comes from Cogar, Oklahoma, and participated in Pom Pon Corps, CSF, and Y-Teens.

"Dream On Little Girl" . . . **Patricia Ruiz** was in Girls' Glee and Drama. She majored in business and hopes to work in the Linda Vista Bank. She is from San Diego.

"Gambler's Guitar" . . . **Renee Ruiz** was very active as a photographer. He majored in photography and was the Annual Staff photographer, and hopes to become a professional photographer. A native of Douglas, Ariz., he was in R.O.T.C. for three years and on the Rifle Team for two years.

"Oh, You Beautiful Doll" . . . **Jan Ryan**, a language major, comes from San Diego. She has enjoyed singing in choir, acting in Drama, and also working hard on the Cap and Gown Committee.

"Cleo And Meo" . . . **Ruby Ryan** quit school at midterm. While attending Kearny she majored in business. Ruby enjoyed singing with Choir, and could be seen at many school functions.

"You Alone" . . . **Eva Sam** was in CSF, was Girls' League Treasurer, Commissioner of Finance, on Girls' League Council, Sophomore Treasurer, was in Dianas, on Sr. Breakfast Comm., Jr. Council, Y-Teens and G.A.A.

"Cheerful Little Earful" . . . **Sherrill Sandknop** was our ever-efficient Photo Secretary for the '57 Komet. She also was active in Y-Teens, and on Sr. Committees. Sherrill majored in science, and desires to become a lab technician.

"Somewhere Over The Rainbow" . . . **John Schultz,** a native of Minnesota, was well liked for his rotund personality. He was an ardent supporter for school activities, and had a major in science.

"Come, Go With Me" . . . **Bob Schumaker** sat in the Senior Council as Chairman of the Prom Committee, was Vice-President of Hi-Y, and in the Key Club. Bob majored in industrial arts.

"Oh Johnny" . . . **John Scott** was in Choir and Drama, played JV football and was KHS News Photographer. John claims San Diego as his birthplace and he majored in industrial arts.

"Butterfly" . . . **Gene Sease** came to Kearny in her senior year. She majored in science and claims Charleston, South Carolina, as her birthplace.

"You're Everything Nice" . . . **Frank Sharp** was a powerhouse on the JV and Varsity football teams. He also added much to the Kearny basketball squad. Frank majored in industrial arts.

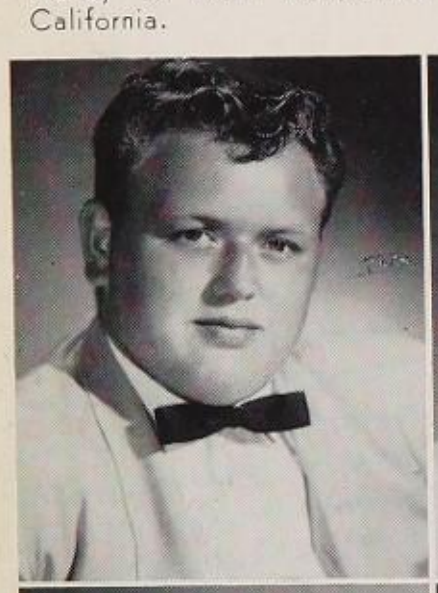
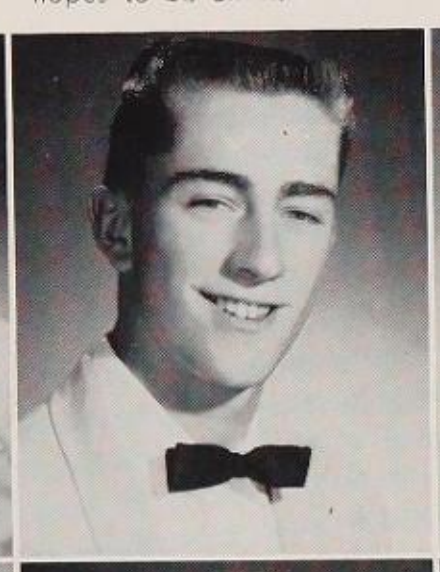
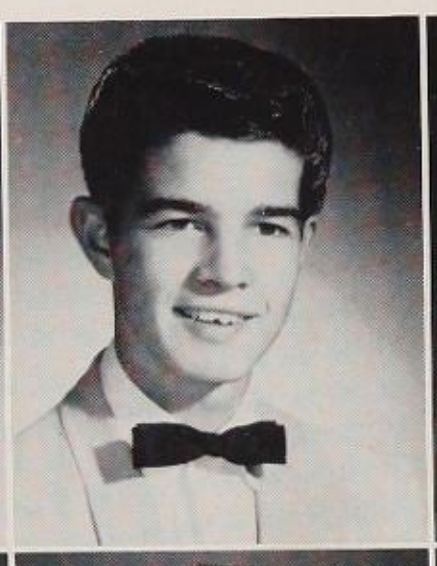
"How Do You Speak To An Angel" . . . **Nancy Verlene Shaul** hopes to become either a nurse or a singer. She had majors in science and music, and participated in Hi-Debbers and G.A.A. Nancy is from Marysville, California.

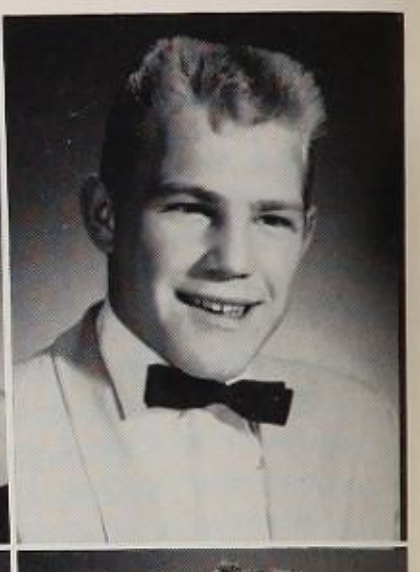
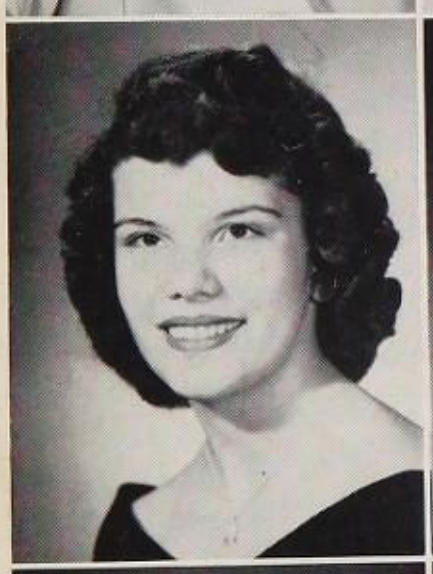
"Sweet And Lovely" . . . **Phyllis Joan Shoemaker** came to Kearny in her junior year, and became active in Flagtwirlers, Choir, Y-Teens, G.A.A., Junior Class Council, and Prom Comm. She majored in business and hopes to be an R.N.

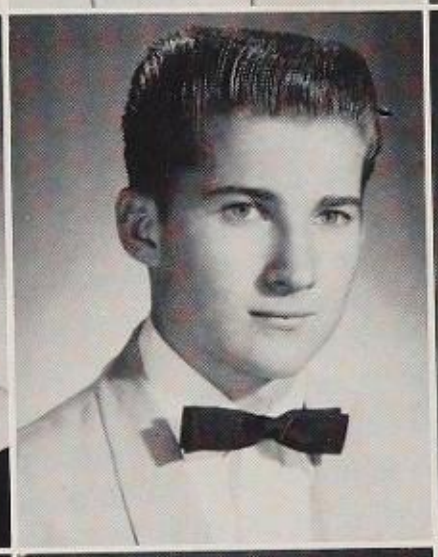
"I'm In Love Again" . . . **Dennis Shurtleff** had majors in science and math. He was in Hi-Y, Key Club, student government, R.O.T.C., and Senior Council. Dennis proudly claims Dayton, Ohio, as his birthplace.

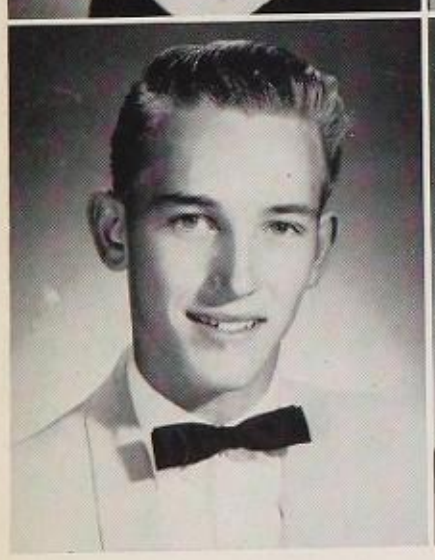
"Dreaming" . . . **Arlene Smith** was a newcomer to Kearny in her senior year, and left school before graduation. Arlene was kept active with her major in Home Economics.

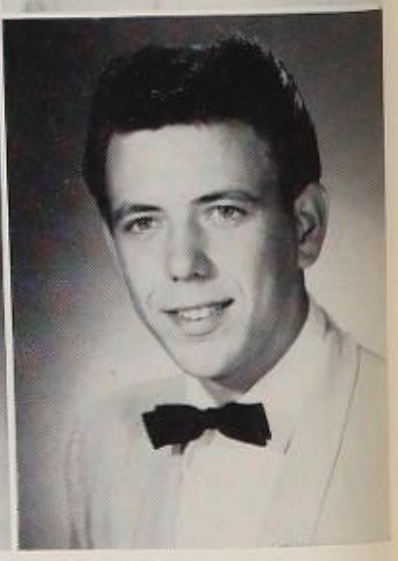
"Home On The Range" . . . **Elmer Earl Smith** was R.O.T.C. Regimental Cadet Club Treasurer, on the Junior Council and in art service. Active athletically, he participated in JV and Varsity football and wrestling.







"Shifting, Whispering Sands" . . . **Gary Smith** added zest to the senior class while enjoying many activities. Gary was kept busy with his major in industrial arts.

"Sugar Lump" . . . **Ruth Smith** wants to get started making a million dollars. Ruth comes from San Diego and had a major in languages. She added spark to Hi-Debbers.

"Weaver Of Dreams" . . . **Anita Soderberg,** one of Kearny's most active girls, took part in Drill Units as a First Lieutenant, was in Dianas and was Commissioner of Finance. She also was Junior Class Treasurer and in CSF.

"Sweet Thing" . . . **Arlene Soderberg,** a lively member at Kearny, took part in Drill Units as a Flagtwirler. Arlene majored in business and was active in Y-Teens and Choir.

"Green Eyes" . . . **Robert Stacey** took an interest in mechanics and had an industrial arts major. Robert was a truly live-wire member of the class.

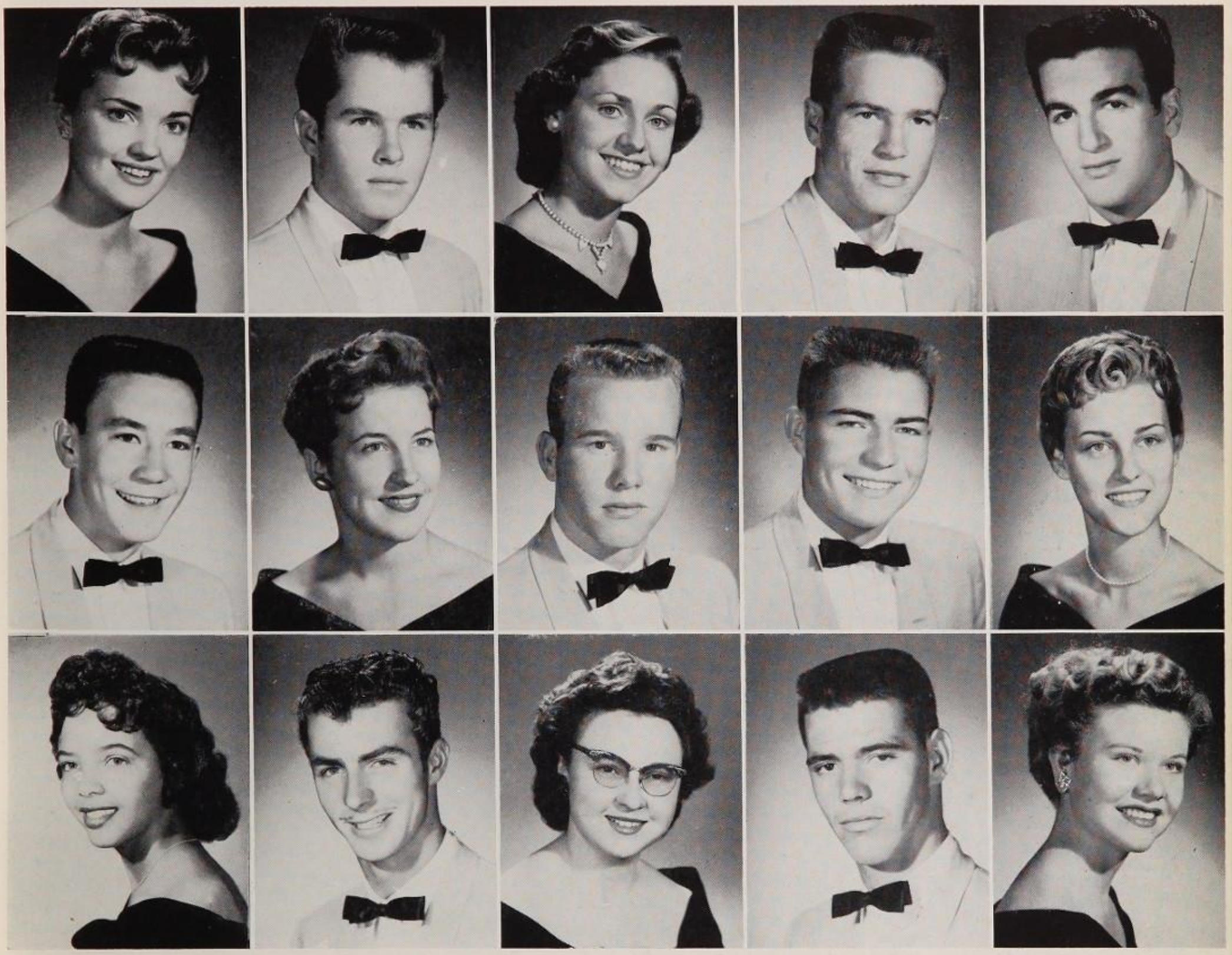
"Let The Good Times Roll" . . . **Jeri Anne Stanford** added pep and zest to KDK, Jr. Council and the Prom Committee. Jeri, who had many good times at games and dances, is from Marsfield, Oregon.

"Tell Me A Story" . . . **Bob Story** took interest in mechanics so he majored in industrial arts. Bob was always to be found with a happy smile and cheerful attitude for everyone. He was truly a credit to the school.

"Let Me Call You Sweetheart" . . . **Elva Strickland** joined the Drill Units, Y-Teens, and Drama. Elva had business and homemaking majors and aspires to become a receptionist or housewife. She hails from Ralla, Kansas.

"Red Top" . . . **Jerry Stryker,** one of Kearny's most outstanding athletes, was in baseball for two years and basketball for three. Also in the Varsity Club, Senior Play and Sports Editor on the Komet, Jerry is from Whiteville, Tenn., and majored in industrial arts.

"All Shook Up" . . . **Jim Sullivan** overwhelmed all opposition in Varsity football. He also participated in track events, and kept busy with Choir, Drama, Senior Council and House of Representatives.



"There's A Rainbow Round My Shoulder" . . . **Carl Swauger,** a mainstay on the Kearny wrestling squads, lettered for three years. He took first in the City Sectionals for two years, and first and third in the SCIF competition. He also ran in Cross Country.

"Moonlight Becomes You" . . . **Freda Symonds** was in Pom Pon Corps for two years, and a majorette in her senior year. Freda enjoyed participating in Fem Frolics and joined Y-Teens. Her major was business.

"Just To Be With You" . . . **Stuart Taber** hopes to become a juggler so he can flip pizzas. He took part in JV and Varsity football, and went out for wrestling. Industrial arts was his major. Stuart hails from Los Angeles.

"I'm Playing For Keeps" . . . **Tom Talcott** boasts Kemmerer, Wyoming, as his home town. Tom was active in R.O.T.C. for three years, Hi-Y, Key Club, Boys' State, was a life member of CSF and president as well. He majored in math and science.

"Earth Angel" . . . **Barbara Taylor,** our lovely Homecoming Queen, was A.S.B. Vice-President, Business Manager of the Komet, and on KDK. She sang with Choir and was a sophomore and a junior homecoming attendant.

"Baby Doll" . . . **Joyce Taylor** ardently supported Kearny's events and functions. She was active in the House of Representatives and G.A.A. Joyce chose business as her major.

"Time On My Hands" . . . **Dick Tenwolde** is trying to prove that two can live as cheaply as one. Much of his time taken by his family, Dick didn't have a chance for extracurricular activities. He majored in industrial arts.

"Forever Darling" . . . **Shirley Thomas** was a very necessary and competent member of the KHS News Staff for three years as well as joining Choir. Her major was business and she claims Wadena, Iowa, as her hometown.

"Danny Boy" . . . **Danny Kent Thompson** wants to make a career of the navy. In preparation for this, he took three years of R.O.T.C. Danny comes from Maywood, California, and took an industrial arts major.

"Gee!" . . . **Judy Treat** had many good times while participating in the Pom Pon Corps, A Cappella Choir, Senior Play, Cap and Gown Committee, and Pep Club. She majored in science and language, and is from South Bend, Indiana.

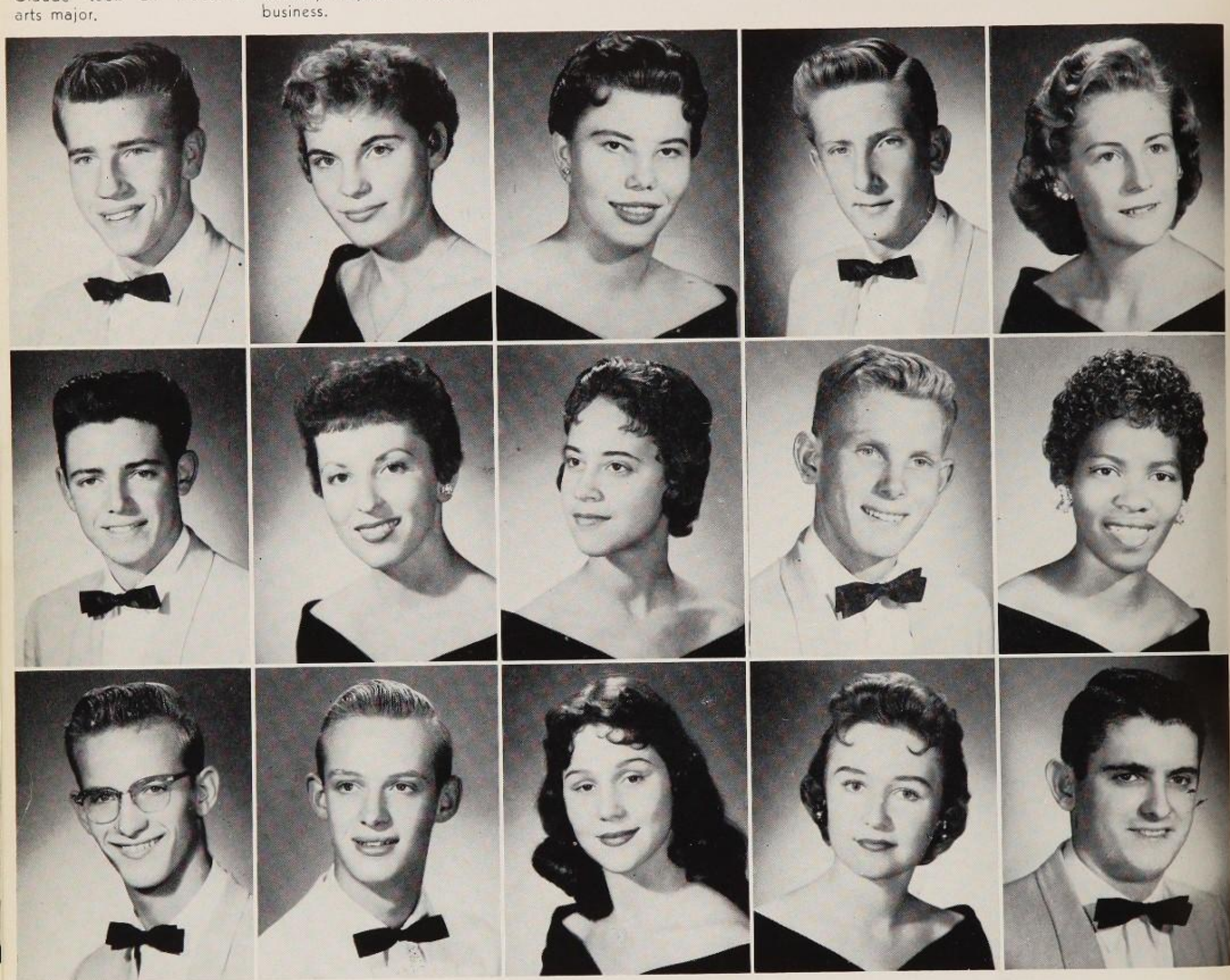
"Blue Monday" . . . **Claude Tuck** took an enthusiastic interest in participating in many of Kearny's extracurricular activities. He could often be found at football games and school dances. Claude took an industrial arts major.

"Seventeen" . . . **Dorothy Lee Tweed** was very active as Head Flagtwirler, in the Pom Pon Corps, on the junior council, K.D.K., and Y-Teens. She was also on the Senior Publicity Committee. Dorothy majored in art and business.

"Sweetness" . . . **Nellie Patricia Van Eik** entered Kearny in her senior year and was often to be found at football and basketball games and most school dances. She had a business major.

"Johnny My Boy" . . . **John Wahlsten** was active in drama class productions. He played a major role in the Senior Play and directed the spring play. John also took an interest in R.O.T.C. for three years.

"High Society" . . . **Mary Ann West** took interest in CSF, K.H.S. News, Drama, Ditch Day Committee, and Y-Teens. As a business major, Mary Ann hopes to make a million during her first years after graduation.



"Dark Eyes" . . . **Tom White** aspires to become a Forest Ranger. Tom took part in cross country, R.O.T.C., rifle team and track. He had an industrial arts major, and is a native of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

"Perfect Woman" . . . **Paula Wilkinson** added grace and dignity to the Senior Class. She was one of our peppy cheerleaders and took an interest in CSF and Bi-Chem-Phy. Her major was business. Paula was born in Reno, Nevada.

"Wonderful One" . . . **Patricia Willis** represented the class as Senior Treasurer. She was president of the Dianas and on the Graduation Committee. Pat was active in CSF, Y-Teens, and G.A.A. From Baton Rouge, La., she majored in business.

"Billy Boy" . . . **William Floyd Wilson, Jr.,** hails from Chicago, Illinois. He hopes to become a professional baseball player. Bill played baseball, ran cross country, and was in Choir and Bi-Chem-Phy.

"Them There Eyes" . . . **Shirley Lee Wilson** intends to become a bookkeeper or P.E. teacher. She was in G.A.A., Y-Teens, Choir, Drill Units, and Modern Dance. Shirley is from Dallas, Texas, and had majors in business and homemaking.

"My Buddy" . . . **Howard Wing** stood out in many endeavors. He was one of the best members of the golf team, was able in Drama, and took interest in House of Representatives, Hi-Y and Key Club.

"To The End Of The Earth" . . . **Robert Curran Wing, Jr.,** worked hard on his majors in industrial arts and science. His ambition is to become a teacher or a chemist. He participated in J.V. baseball and was Varsity football manager.

"Girl Of My Dreams" . . . **Mita E. Woodard** claims Panama City, Panama, as her hometown. She had a science major. Mita's ambition is to marry the "certain one" and be a good wife. She was a class representative on the Cap and Gown Committee.

"One Touch Of Venus" . . . **Ann Marie Woods** was in the Pom Pon Corps, Drama, Scribblers' Frolic, Y-Teens, and on the Publicity Committee. She claims San Diego as her birthplace. Ann majored in Spanish.

"Johnny Is The Boy For Me" . . . **John Wright** proudly claims Orange, California, as his hometown. While at Kearny, John worked hard with his major in business in preparation for his ambition of some day becoming a rich executive.

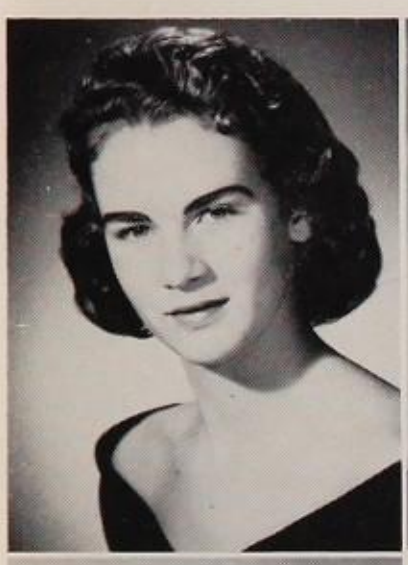
"Sweet Sixteen" . . . **Nancy Yarbrough** skipped her junior year to graduate with the class of 1957. She majored in science and found joining CSF very pleasant.

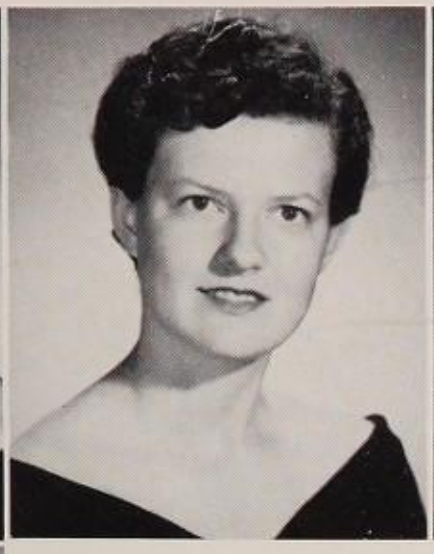
"Wild Irish Rose" . . . **Barbara Yancey** had many good times attending school functions and was a welcome member of the school. Her ambition is to see Gloria Henry pass in the Spanish class.

"Stardust" . . . **Darlene Yeager,** who was active with her major, hopes to be successful in the business world. Darlene is proud to claim Marshalltown, Iowa, as her birthplace.

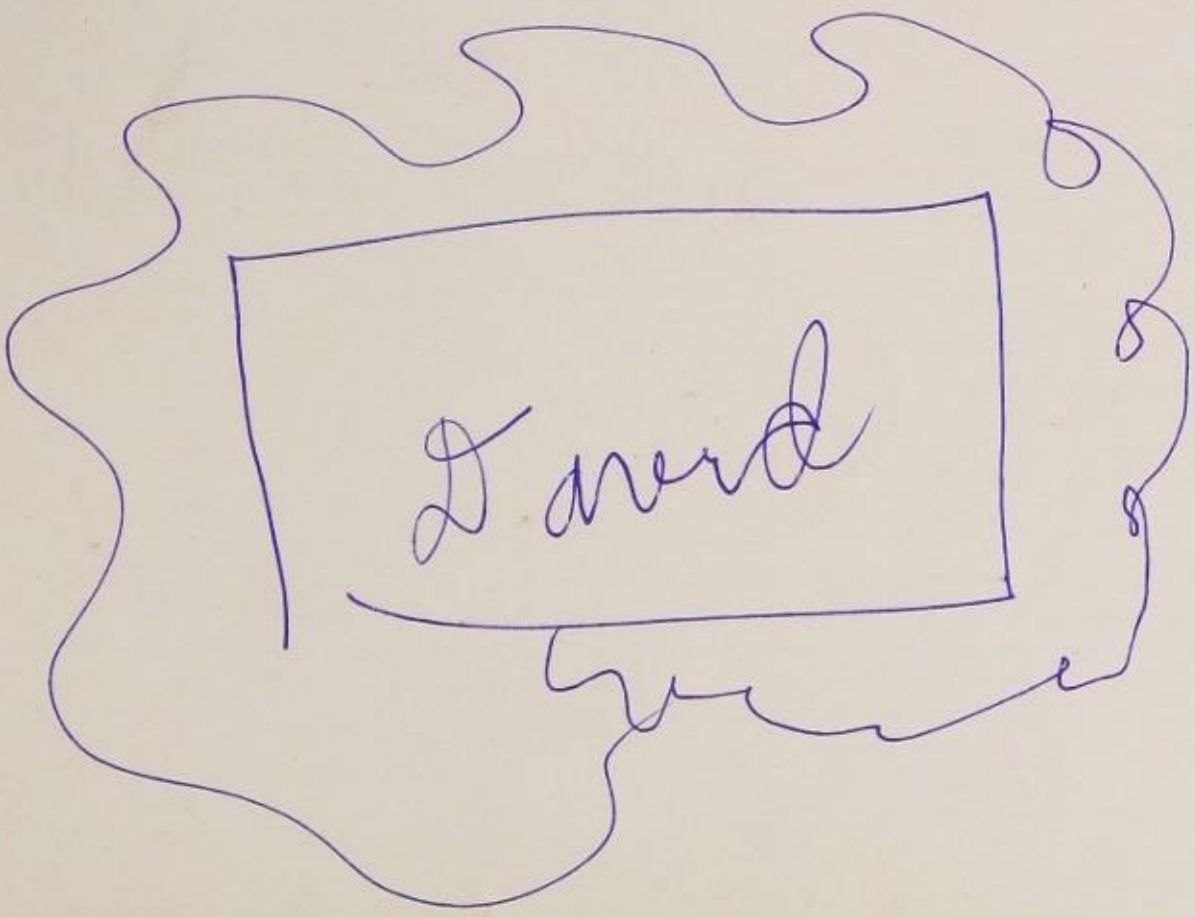
"You're My Everything" . . . **Gloria Vickie Yepiz** hopes to get out and work on her own. She comes from San Diego. Gloria majored in homemaking.

"Ramona" . . . **Josephine Zapata** enjoyed playing records during the lunch periods and also was happy in badminton and Y-Teens. Josie had a business major at Kearny. She comes from Hector, Minnesota.





"I Remember" . . . **Lynette Marsden,** a newcomer to the school, enjoyed her Senior year at Kearny. Lynette showed much enthusiasm about various activities and majored in business.



SENIOR WILLS

I do hereby will and bequeath:

Akers, Morris . . . My S.C.I.F. title to anyone who likes raisins; my absent-mindedness to Barb; Cupid to Harold; my class ring to a certain someone who'll return my love and not the ring; to Tom, Scott, and Dennis, all their competition I could have done without, and my initiative to do homework; also to C. Cartmill, my ability to spend money.

Anaya, Richard . . . To B.J., a new bow and arrow set; and to Monte, a new car because I'm tired of pushing his old one.

Bailey, Mary Jane . . . All my love to Jerry; to Carol, another happy year at Kearny; and to Jeri, the ability to forget a certain someone.

Baumgartner, Donna . . . To Lucy and Judy R., a dime every day for a coke; to Gail, Dee Anne and Judy L., all my pains; J.D., all my love forever; and the cool times at Kearny to Barbara M. and Carolyn C.

Bell, Wayne . . . Don T., one of my new shirts to wear, if I ever get one; to Dick, a pair of shoes; and to a certain girl, all my love and ability to be late.

Birkel, Henrietta . . . All the good times I had at Kearny to Jeanie and Jody; a pair of handcuffs to Tommy; long hair to Drue; a Walkie-Talkie to Chickie and Carolyn; my ability to drive to Jerry; and my writing ability to Lee.

Blair, Yvonne . . . Dodie and Jerry, all the happiness in the world; Marietta D. and Jan D., my way home from school; Kay S., Pernicano's, so she can get her fill of pizzas; and Loretta S. and Nancy H., the whole school to do anything they want with it.

Blake, Essie . . . To Clovis, Virginia, Frances and Carl, the happiest years left of their education; and luck to Lee and Charles.

Blevins, David . . . My ability to paint in art to Betty Loegal and Charlotte Fernandez; and my driver's license to my sister Cookie, who will never get hers.

Bonnett, Betty . . . All the good jokes in homemaking to Judy Branscom, may she use them well; to Alice Brewer, I leave my naturally curly hair, upon her request; and to Peggy Campbell, I leave all my foreign travels.

Boyd, Scott . . . To Morris, a shirt with sleeves two yards long; also an efficient diet chart and all the good times I had in wrestling to the future wrestling teams.

Braley, Darrienne . . . To Velma, twenty-five pounds of crushed ice; to Duffy, a year's supply of air mail envelopes; to Dorritt, that black skirt and blue sweater; and my permission for Rosina to go with Johnny.

Brannon, Beverly . . . My sympathy to all the up-and-coming sophomores, juniors, and especially those poor, should-be-passing seniors.

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Funk, Betty Jo . . . To S.J., all the fun we had in "Old Blue"; to Monte, a new car; to John Kinder, my place in the lunch line; and to Larry R., all my love.

Gangwisch, Larry . . . My rank in R.O.T.C. to my brother, Dan; my seat in Trig to anybody who thinks they can fill it; to Barb, all the rides home that she wants; and to Jeanne M., all the "hello's" in the hall.

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Hinch, Gail . . . To Judy Narbith, a new pair of she-knows-whats; and to "Rexford Emerson Reynolds," a pair of broad shoulders.

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Hottell, Dean . . . My ability to keep my car right side up to Jap; and my car to Tricia because she owns it anyway.

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Jenks, Jim . . . To Jeri Stanford and Gail Jones, a good pair of shoes; to Monte Cantrell, a better way to stand and a book teaching him how to play the guitar; Jerene, my Model "A"; Sullivan, a pair of sun glasses for his casual car; and Dingle, to grow three feet.

Jones, Gail . . . To Clark B., my gold teeth; Jim J., my shoes so he'll always have a laugh; and to Donna, my bear.

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Little, Cleavon . . . To my brothers, Roy and Edward, my athletic talents and winning way with the women; to Gloria J., my shorthand; and to Cookie, my drama talent.

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Martinez, Lucy . . . To Dingle, the name wee-wee Bubbles; and to Esther M., some new shoes, 'cause she is still wearing last year's; also "Mr. Pyke," a new name 'cause he can't stand the name "Clarence Aloysius Pyke."

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Mize, Philip . . . My ability to earn money to Tom; my pick-up to the cross-country team for transportation; and a poem to Etta.

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Mynatt, Norman . . . Some height to Rexford Emerson Reynolds so he won't have to look up to me; also some mentality to "smart guy," Weldon Schoolcraft, so he can tell "flabby Jack" not to play it his "own sweet way."

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Oswalt, Charles . . . The R.O.T.C. Battalion to Lambert; a new transmission to Yon; and my nickname "Rabbit" to anyone with good eyes.

Palmer, Rod . . . To Elvis Menzies, a "B.B."; the name Willie Weak-eyes to anyone who qualifies; to Jap, a car as good as mine; and to La La, a common name 'cause hers is all kinds of hassle.

Park, Margaret . . . To Eva S. and Nancy R., my short-hand homework so I won't have to do it; and Ted, any front row seat in Mr. Scantlin's (Kelly) fifth period so he won't bother anyone who's doing homework.

Peterson, Edward . . . To anyone who wants them, all my worldly possessions which were brought back from Japan; and to Nancy Shaul, my hair pulling friends.

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Ramsey, Jane . . . To Tricia and Caroline, my badminton racquet; and to Dossie, my ability to take off the emergency brake.

Ray, Larry . . . To Charles and Beast, my Y.A. number because they should have one too; and my cleft to anybody who wants it.

Richards, Judy . . . All my notes to FuFu; all my good times at Kearny to Jackie; and my diploma to Darrell because he didn't get one.

Riggs, Evelyn . . . To Kathy G., "Jerks" in hopes she'll learn how to drive; and to Dud, the ability to get hostile.

Rogers, Mary . . . T.T. to Wilma Rolin.

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Romero, Barbara . . . To Judy L., M.M.; Betty Jo, some short platinum hair; and Janie, Tricia, Bob, Judy L., Lynn, Monte, and Barbara N., gas money.

Romero, Monica . . . All my love to a certain someone; my luck to Pat R. and Pete; and my gym shorts to Jerene.

Romero, Ronnie . . . To Beth, a new way to get home.

Roop, Peggy . . . My many good times at Kearny as a senior to Jackie Walker and Beth Ann Richardson.

Rose, Larry . . . My ability to hit the "birdie" to Dick T.; and my car and locker to Linda.

Rose, Nancy . . . To Joyce, a car; Margie, my ability to stay awake for the late show; and Eva, my long eyelashes.

Ruiz, Patricia . . . To Sandie Cox, all my troubles; Pilar G., a few lessons at Vic Tanny's; Monica R., all the joint meetings with a certain club; to my future husband, my diploma and all my love, patience, and debts; and to my brother, Tommie, all the dances during lunch.

Ruiz, Renee . . . To Spots, some more spots; to Scottie, my ability to take pictures under the influence; and to Calhoun, a new car so he won't have to push it every morning.

Ryan, Janice . . . To Jerene, Frank; to Gail, the ability to take a joke; to Norman, a real secret; and to Ronnie, Don, Gus, and Rod, a big box of Crunchy Munchies.

Sam, Eva . . . To Sara Rabago and Harold Lambert, my badminton racquet in hopes they will learn how to play; and Nancy Rose and Margaret Park, my shorthand homework so they won't have any.

Scott, Johnny . . . To Judy, all my love; Frick, 10 lbs. so he can tip the scales at 100 lbs.; Renee, my ability to take pictures; Cookie, a shirt; and to "Z," the best choir in the world next year.

Sease, Gene . . . My two months' loss of school to any Navy Junior that desires it.

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Strickland, Elva . . . My studiousness to Margaret D'Agostino; also my giggle and wit to anyone who can possibly improve it.

Stryker, Jerry . . . To Sully, a pack of razor blades so he can shave; and to John Nunez, a pair of dark glasses so the girls can't see where he is looking and a pair of shears so he can cut his hair.

Sullivan, Jim . . . My car to Werts so people can relax when they're cruising with him; also my seat at Mac's to anybody who is willing to sit there twelve hours a day.

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Taber, Stewart . . . The keys to my Plymouth with its hopped-up rubber band to Jim Lucas.

Talcott, Tom . . . My slide rule to Morris; the back of my diploma to John Tanida; a couple of S.C.I.F. blue ribbons to Scott and Den; the 4th battalion to Rabbit; and six tanned Jackalope hides to the faculty of K.H.S.

Taylor, Barbara . . . To Barbara N., all the Monday nights we worked at J.M.; to Dossie and Frank, the picnic we never had; and to Trish and Bud, a cook book.

Thompson, Danny . . . To Harold Lambert, all my rank in R.O.T.C.; and Sheila Coyle, my long eye-lashes.

Treat, Judy . . . All my choice sayings to Mita; my extra bed to Anne so she can get a good night's sleep; and all the kicks this school offers to anyone with the spare time.

Tweed, Dorothy . . . My intelligence to Billy Ray; my flag to Freda; my boots to Velma; all the millions I made at Kress to Duff, Elaine and Drue; and for Arlene, a Mars Candy Bar.

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White, Tom . . . To Mary, my crew-cut; my good car to Sheila; and all my love to Elaine.

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Wilson, Bill . . . All my English ability to M. Albers; my science ability to my brother, Bob; and my bone head ability to Gary Goings.

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Woods, Ann . . . To my little sister, Barbara, all the A's at Kearny I never had; and all our jokes at lunch time to anyone who'll have them.

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Yancey, Barbara . . . To my sister, Glenda, the record "Eddie, my Love" and the boy who goes with it.

Yeager, Darlene . . . All my love to Bob; and to Miss Speck's Chaucer's "Canterbury Tales."

Yepiz, Gloria . . . To Tony B. and Carol T. and Maria and Benny, all the happiness and love in the world.

Zapata, Josephine . . . I will three boys and a girl to Pat and Roger, because Pat wants them; my dilapidated shape to Anita; all my love to Henry; and to Joe C., a lifetime pass to the pizza stand.

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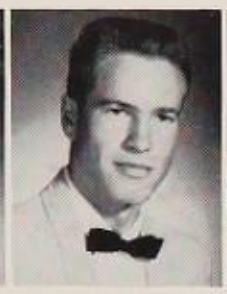

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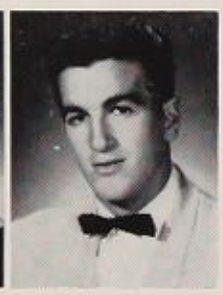

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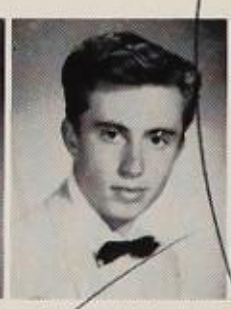

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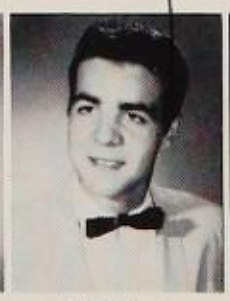

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Literature . . . *the total of preserved writings belonging to a given people.*

JUNIORS

Mr. Sippel

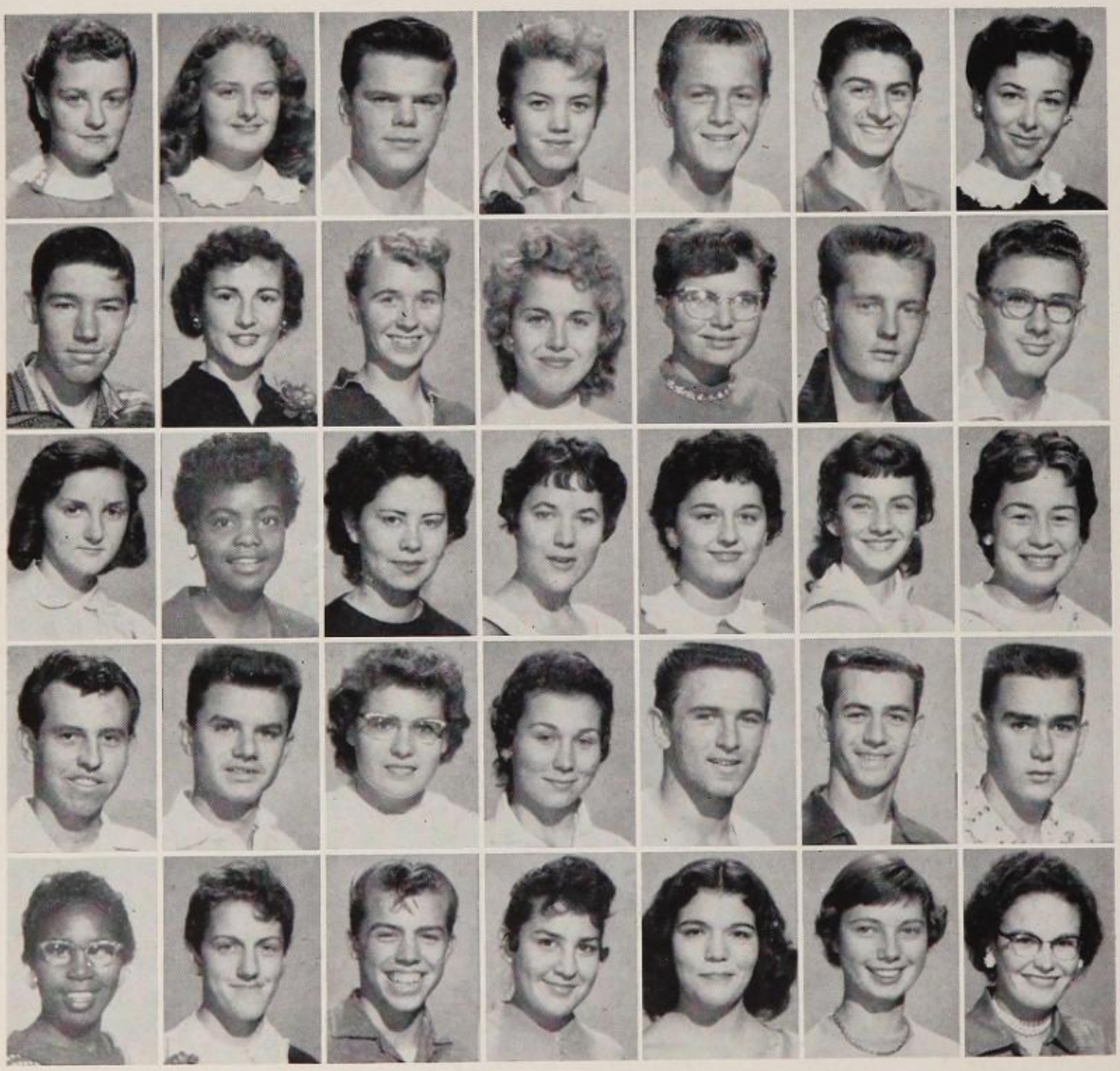
Our Junior Class, the up and coming future leaders of Kearny, supported all school functions with zest. Besides their whole-hearted school spirit, this class displayed extra enthusiasm in their cake sales, food sales at the sports events and the other many activities. Hats off to Mr. Sippel, our counselor, and the Junior Class officers.

Tom Clovis
President

Jean Jenks
Vice-President

Robyn Robertson
Secretary

Katy Garcia
Treasurer



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Carol Bajema
Louis Baldock
Michael Barbuto
Betty Bartch

Allen Bartholomew
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Betty Bennet
Virginia Benson
Dick Bernard
Kenneth Bertel

Peggy Blakeslie
Mary Blevins
Sharon Bolt
Jana Bottoms
Sharon Bradley
Marilyn Brewer
Judy Brown

Geraldine Buchanan
Mary Butcher
Richard Calhoun
Carmen Cameron
Lilia Carrascoso
Carol Carter
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Joanne Chouinard
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Mack Clark
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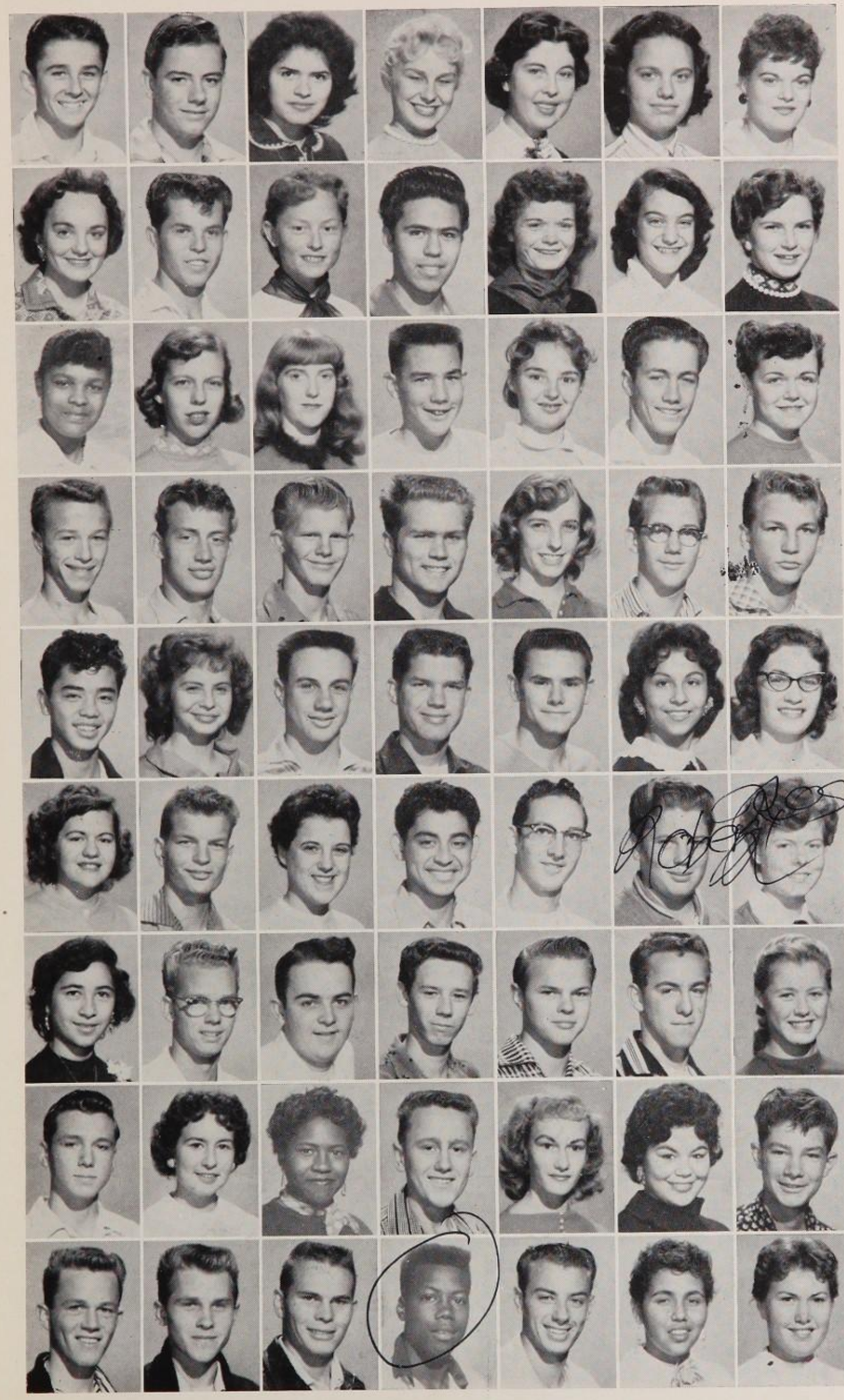

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Majorie Cota
Bonnie Cowie
Roberta Cox
Carol Coval
Peggy Cracraft

Gayle Cranney
Larry Cress
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Steve Cuellar
Bettie Cummings
Margaret D'Agostino
Marlys Dagget

Elenore Davidson
Ellen Davis
Peggy Davis
Jim Delany
Suzanne Demoran
Jim De Rieux
Carolyn Deters

Charles Dicks
Gerald Divine
Wendell Duncan
Dick Dunphy
Anne Ely
Ray Empey
Ronald Ewert

Eric Evens
Sonja Farmer
Kenneth Faucher
John Faulkner
Dick Flook
Katy Garcia
Sue Gaylord

Shirley Gebhardt
Jim Gillis
Dorritt Goldstein
Robert Gonzales
Arnold Green
Robert Greenwell
Rose Marie Griffin

Beatrice Grijalva
Neil Hall
Dean Hallford
Dale Hankins
Julian Hansen
Rodney Hanson
Frances Hardie

Kenneth Hardy
Shirley Hefley
Jo Ann Hemphill
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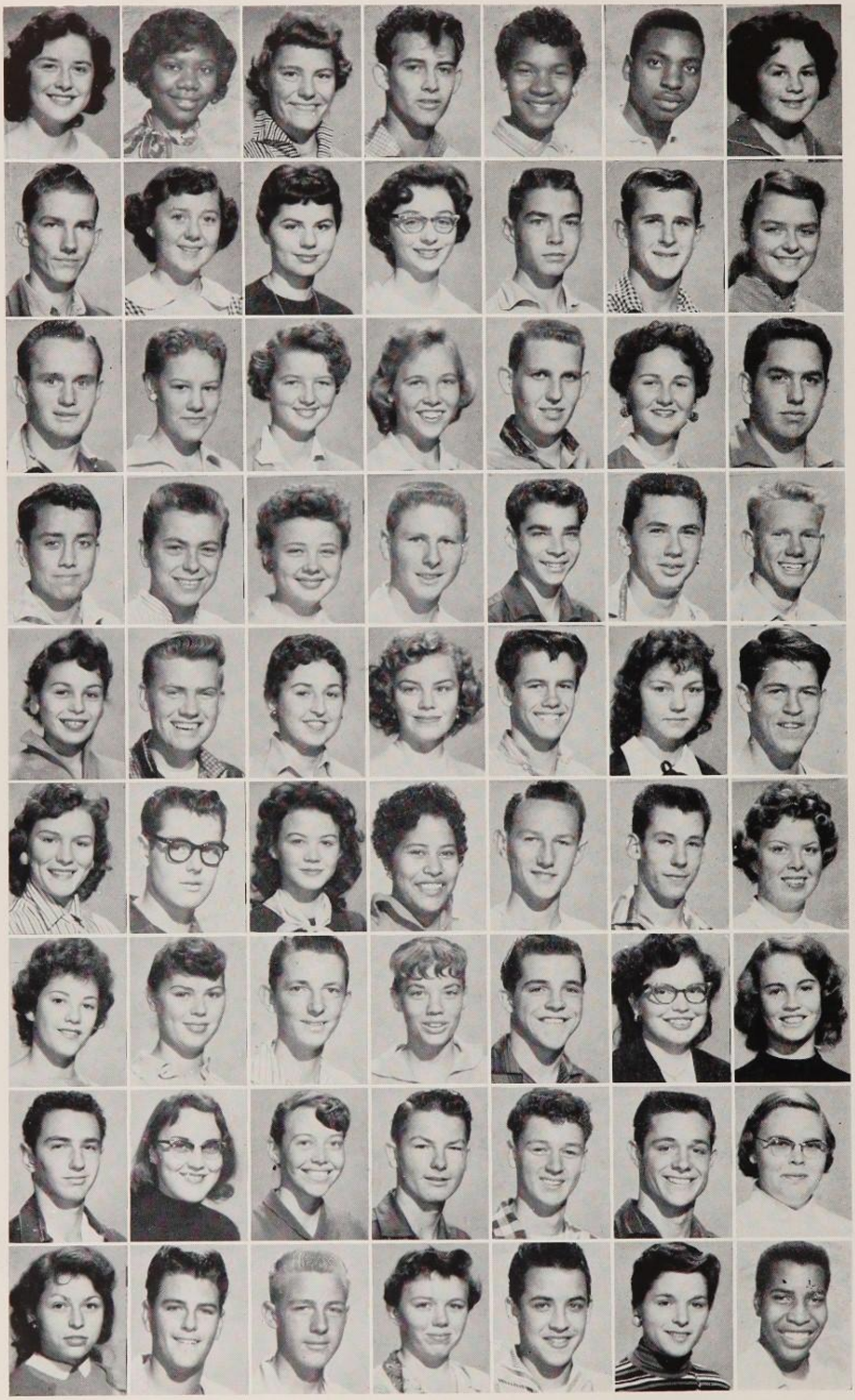

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Sonny Johnson
Virginia Johnson
Waymon Johnson
Bette Kasanos

Kenneth Kirkbride
Marilyn Knapp
Judy Koll
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John Lam
Delbert Lamb
Mary Jane Lamberson

Red Larsen
Linda Lassen
Pat Leonard
Barbara Lester
Allen Lewis
Geraldine Lombardi
Reggie Lopez

Alfred Loya
Jim Lucus
Pat McClain
Bruce McGill
Ron Margole
Fred Marks
Bill Meche

Cristine Medrano
Donald Meek
Barbara Meyers
Adele Miller
Jerry Mize
Sue Moore
Bill Moreno

Jeanne Morey
Jack Mowers
Pat Murray
Mary Myers
Larry Nash
Walter Nelson
Patsy O'Brien

Lydia Onate
Merlene Osborne
Bill Oxley
Lynn Padrick
Roger Papaik
Arlene Pederson
Diane Pillsbury

Ernest Pino
Ruth Plaster
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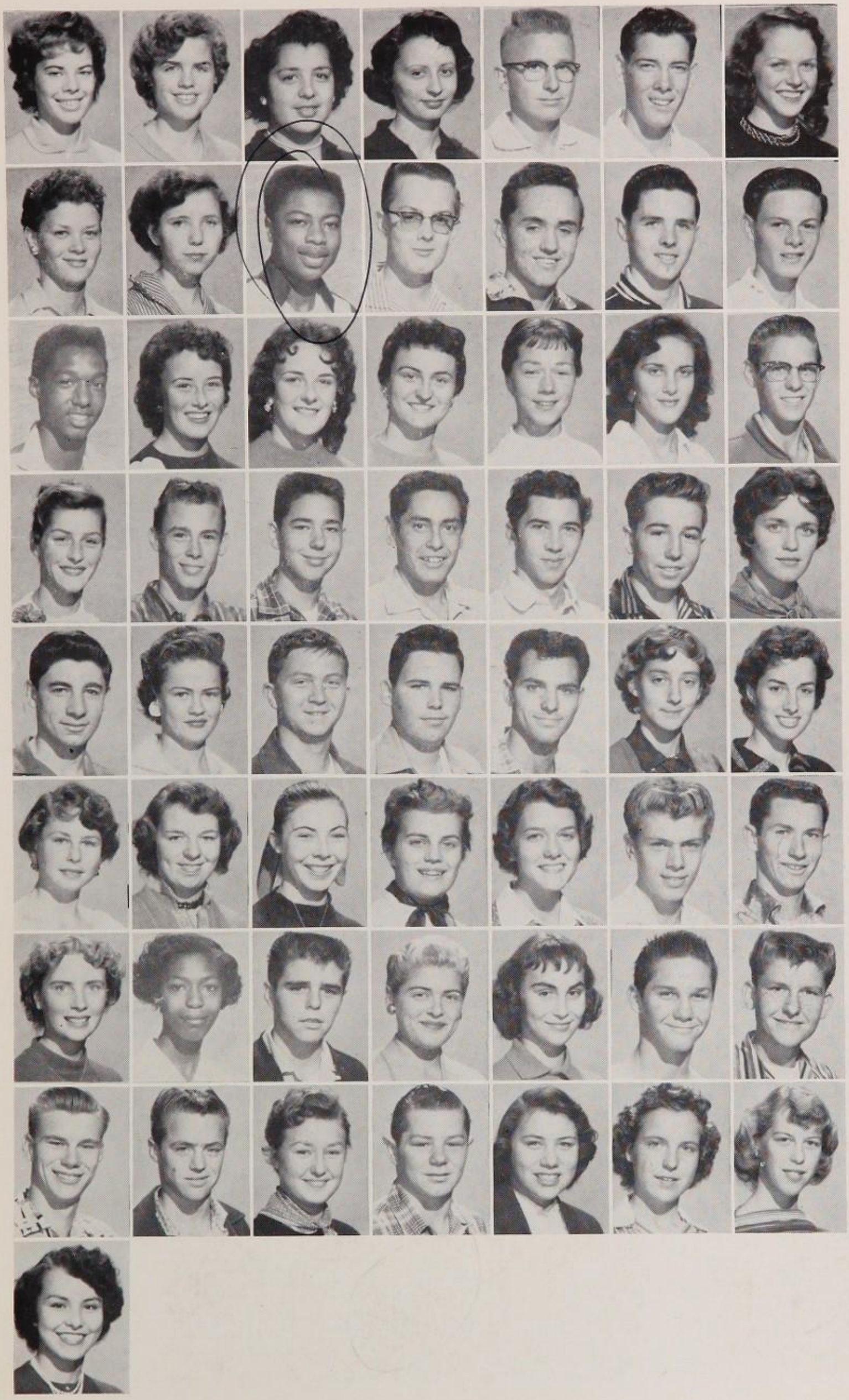

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Gene Simpson
James Simpson
Bill Smith

Glenn Smith
Jean Smith
Judy Smith
Nancy Sneed
Karren Soderberg
Darlene Springer
David St. John

Loretta Stremlau
Charles Stuck
Richard Swauger
Lawrence Talamantez
Louis Tebeau
Don Thompson
Merle Thurlby

Harry Tittle
Judy Trantham
Kenneth Treaster
Darel Trotter
George Tucker
Judy Turley
Norma Turnage

Helen Umland
Diane Underwood
Jean Van Nostrand
Alice Van Twyver
Jackie Walker
Don Watson
Richard Weir

Frances Weismantel
Hattie White
Danny Wilcoxen
Ruth Willard
Judy Williams
Mark Wilson
Dave Winter

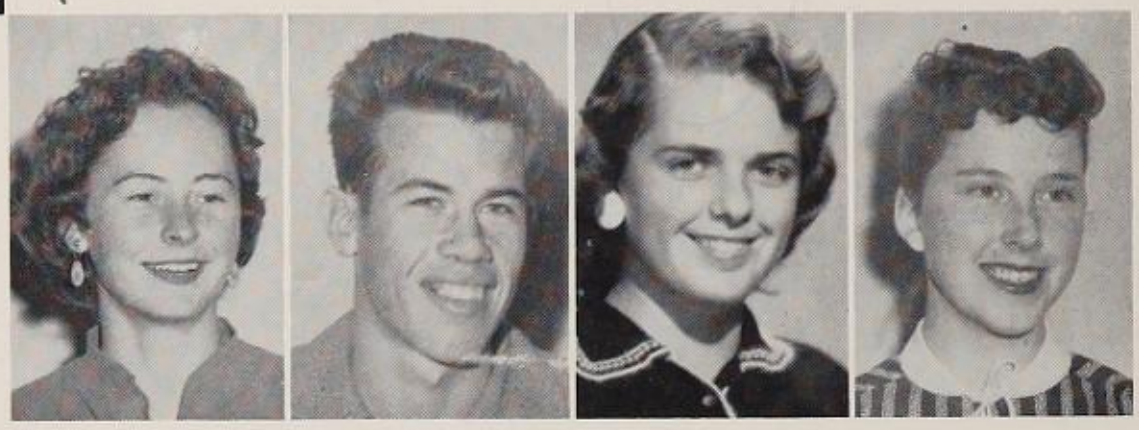
Eric Wood
James Woodie
Peggy Woods
Don Zager
Patricia Zapata
Charlene Zeilenga
Donna Zimmerman

Rita Zuniga

SOPHOMORES

Mr. Fierro

Supporting all Kearny-sponsored activities was the sophomore class. Attending the numerous social functions, cheering and raising school spirit at sports events, and participating in school dances seemed to fall in line with the sophomores' extra curriculum.



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Burns, Burns, Cable, Cadell, Carlton, Cernius, Chapman, Cipriano, Collins

Conner, Costello, Coons, Cowan, Coyle, Crowell, Cruz, Cullen, Davidson

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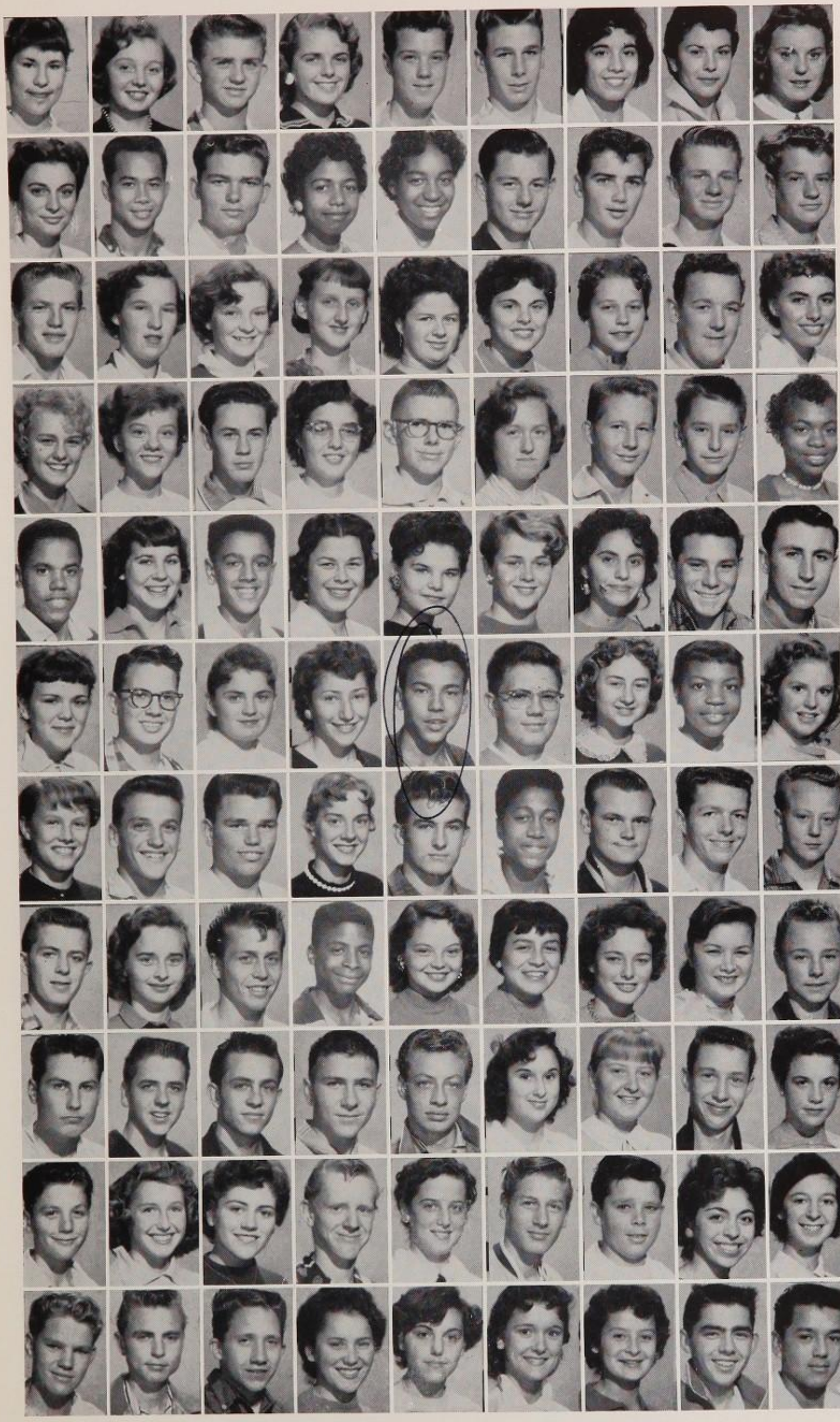

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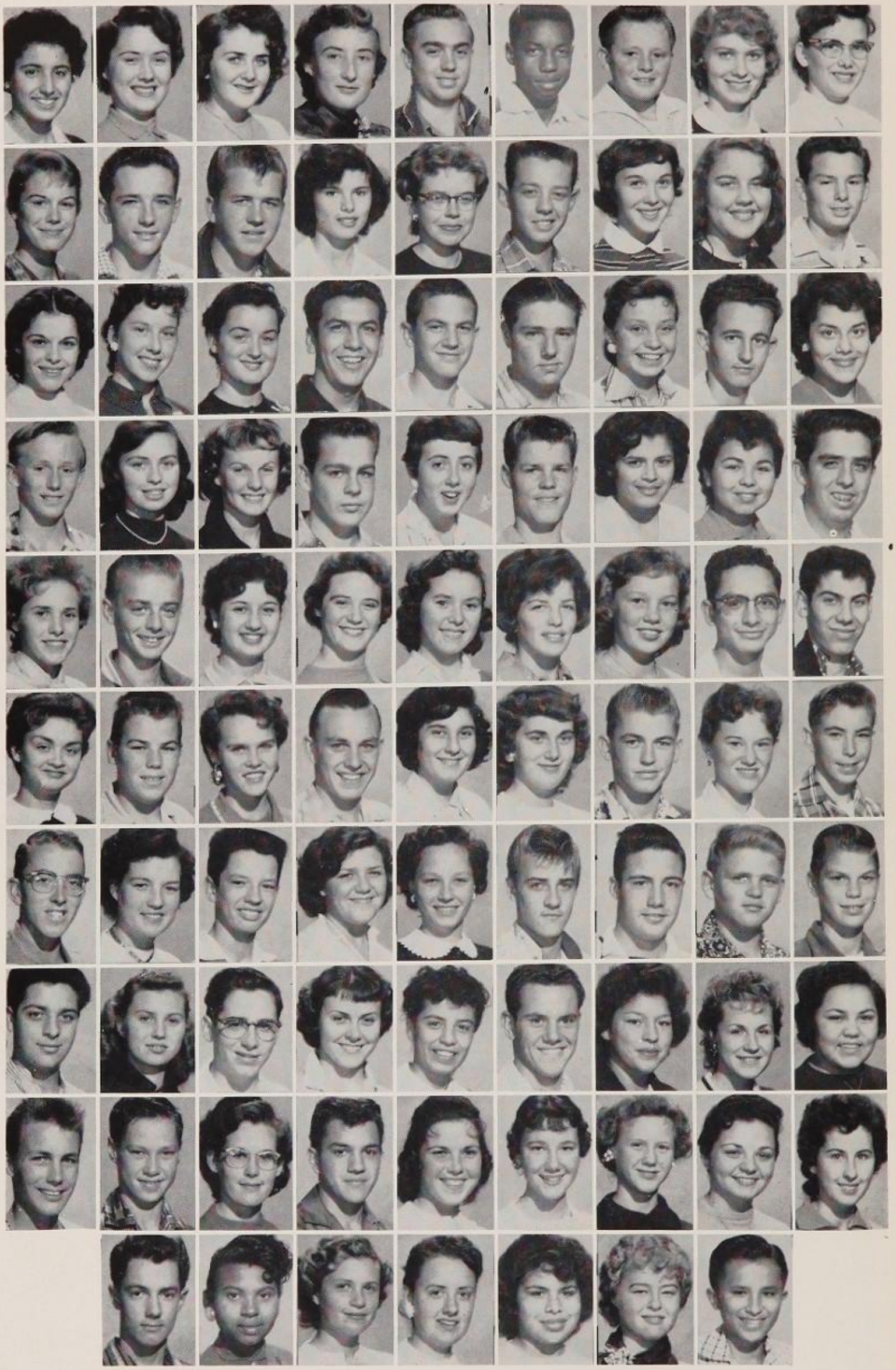


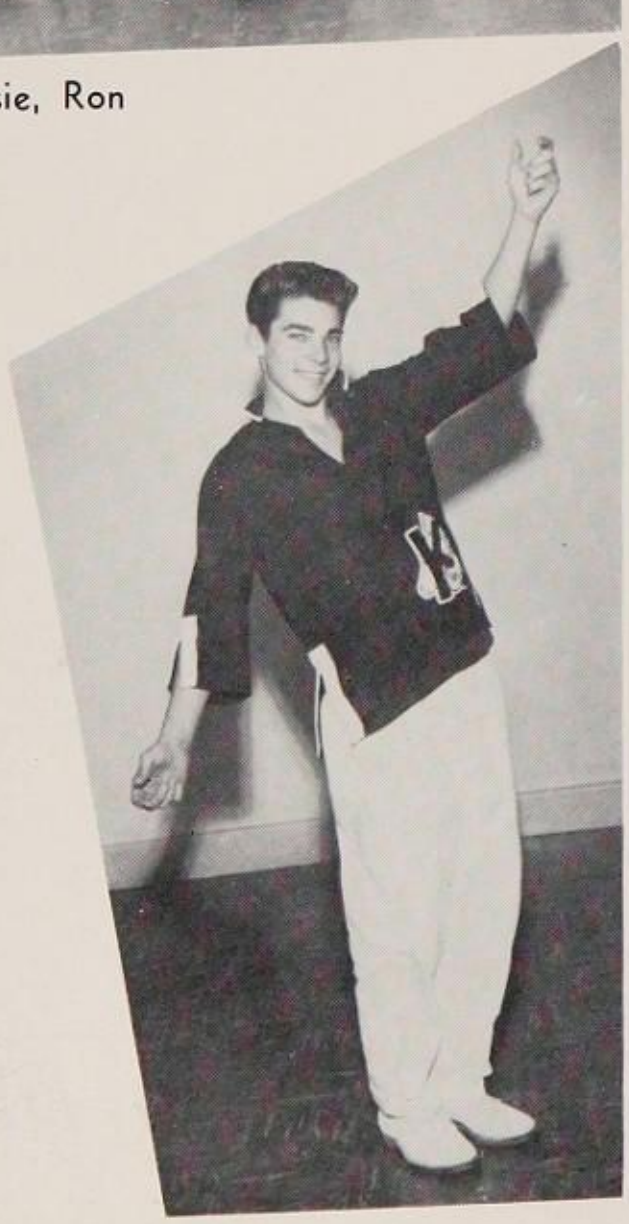
Dance . . . *to perform with others a rhythmic succession of movements.*

CHEERLEADERS

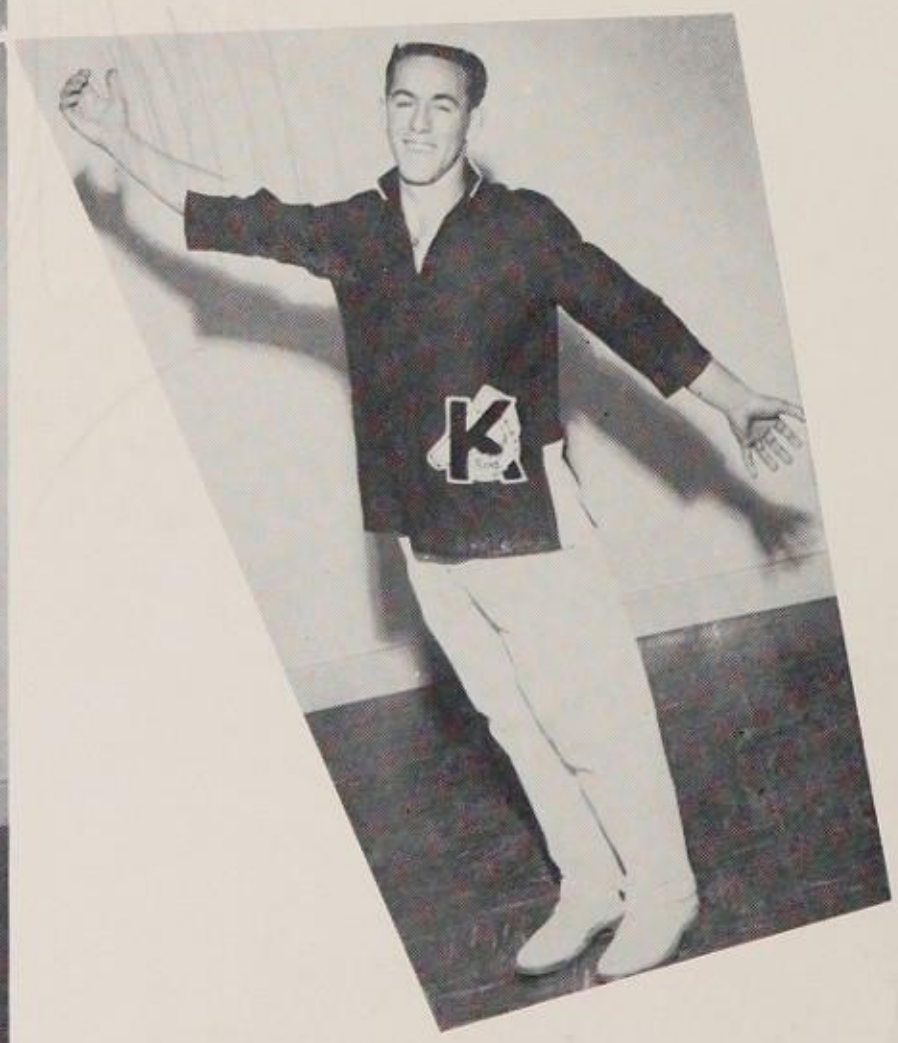
Dossie Phillips, Head

Rod, Dossie, Ron

"Two bits, four bits, six bits, a dollar . . ." with pep and vigor Rod Hanson, Ronnie Margole and head cheerleader Dossie Phillips led Kearny's rooting section in a fury of yells. Their zestful enthusiasm proved an asset to Kearny's athletic events.



Ron Margole



Rod Hanson

SONGLEADERS

Dee Anne Flaming, Head

Jane Ramsey

Cris Medrano

Cute, curvy and enthusiastic are Kearny's songleaders. They worked long hours and developed sharp routines for our games and parades. These girls: Cris Medrano, Carol Nelson, Jane Ramsey and head songleader Dee Anne Flaming, showed off special talents as well as sparkling beauty.

Jane, Dee Anne, Carol, Cris

Carol Nelson

POM PON OFFICER

malyndia ragsdale, captain

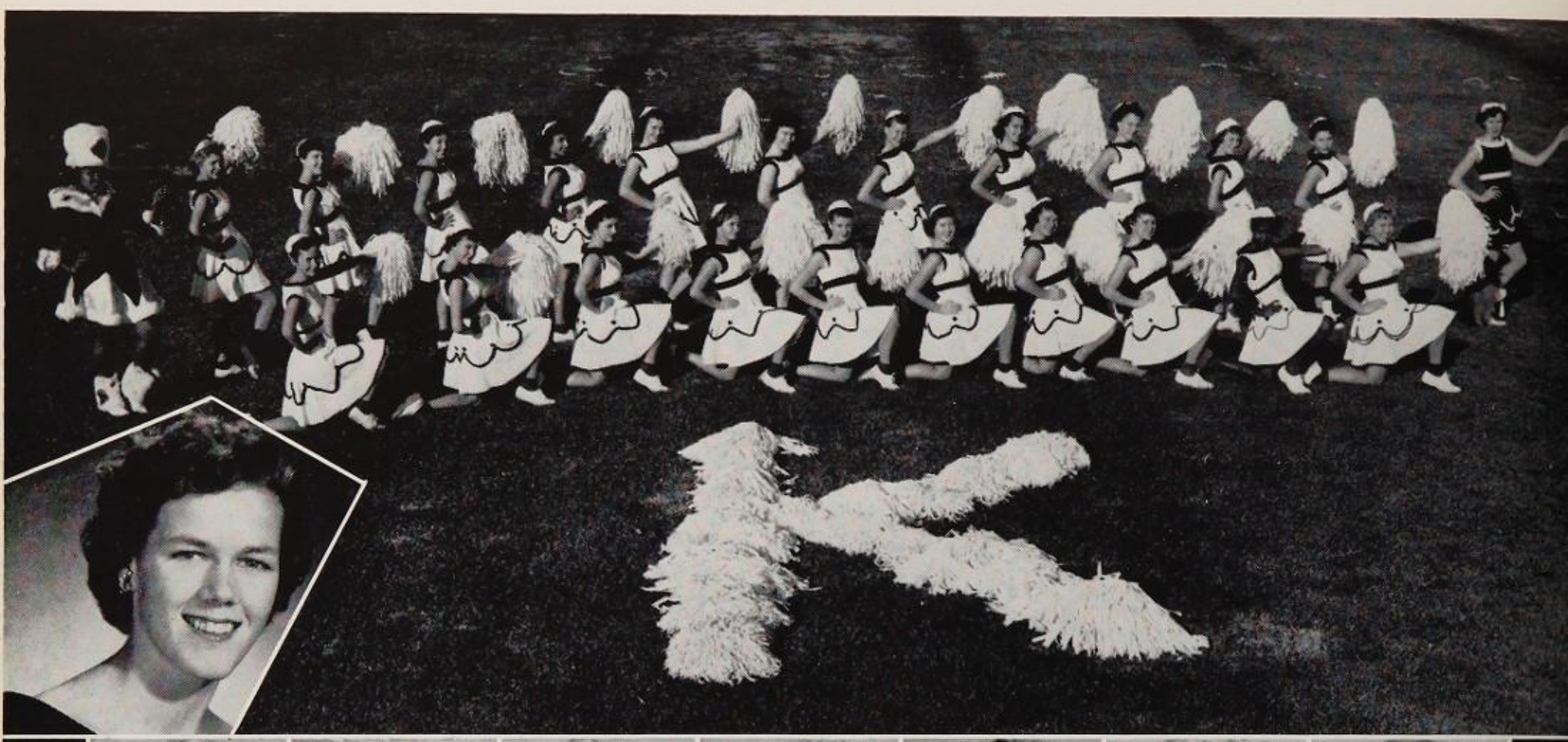
DRILL UNIT OFFICERS

DRUM OFFICERS

lyn dukelow, captain

jean killgore, major

POM PON CORPS



Adamson
D'Agostino
Hegwood

Bain
Dial
Hengst

Bottoms
Farmer
Hunstable

Boyd
Fellows
Jenks

Bradley
Fernandez
Knapp

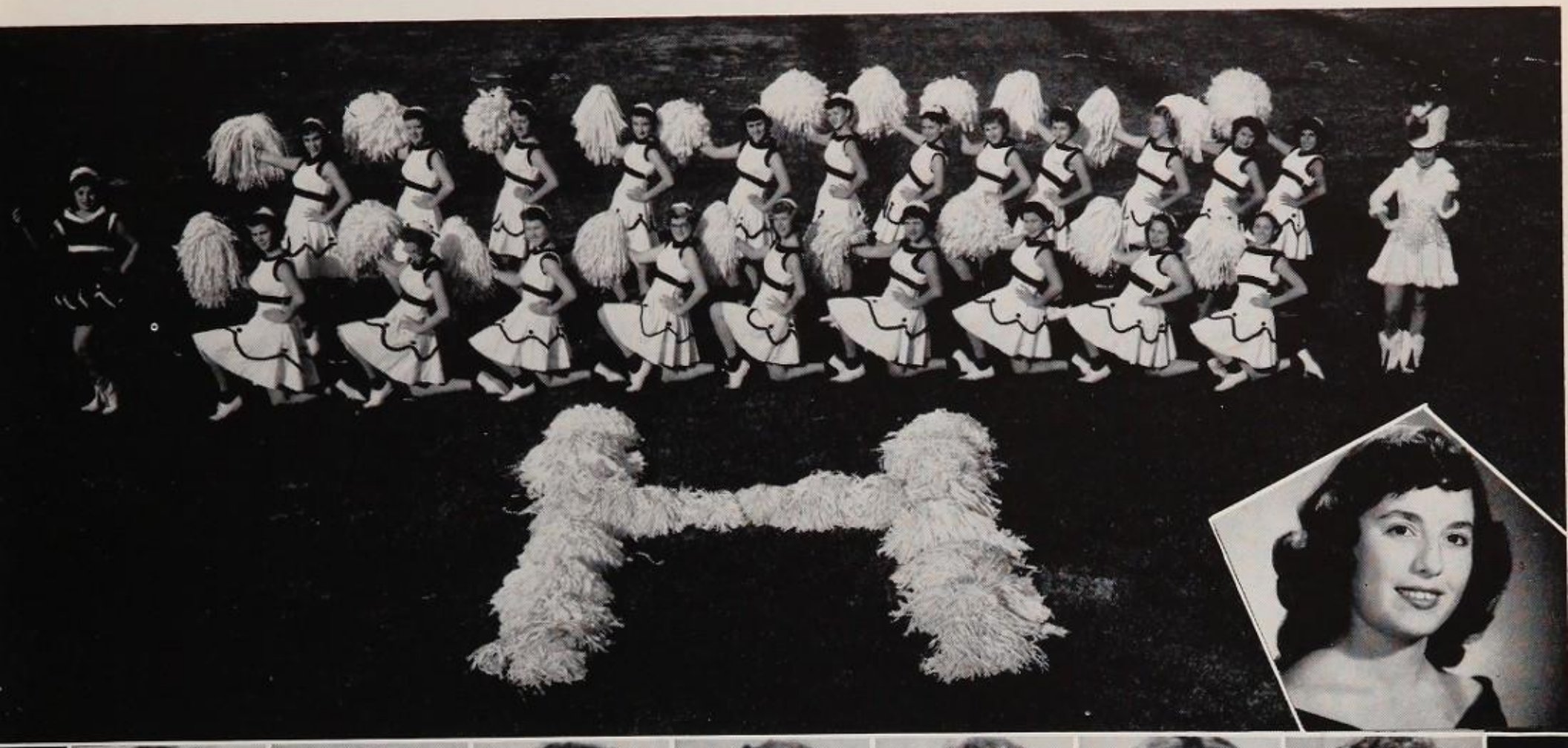
Branscom
Garcia
Lam

Cadell
Gustafson
Lester

1st Lieutenant **Soderberg**

NOT PICTURED

Monahan, Rose, Treat.
Major: Gail Jones



Maginnes
Story
Welty

Meyers
Strickland
White

Minter
Truett
Williams

Morgan
Tucker
Wilson

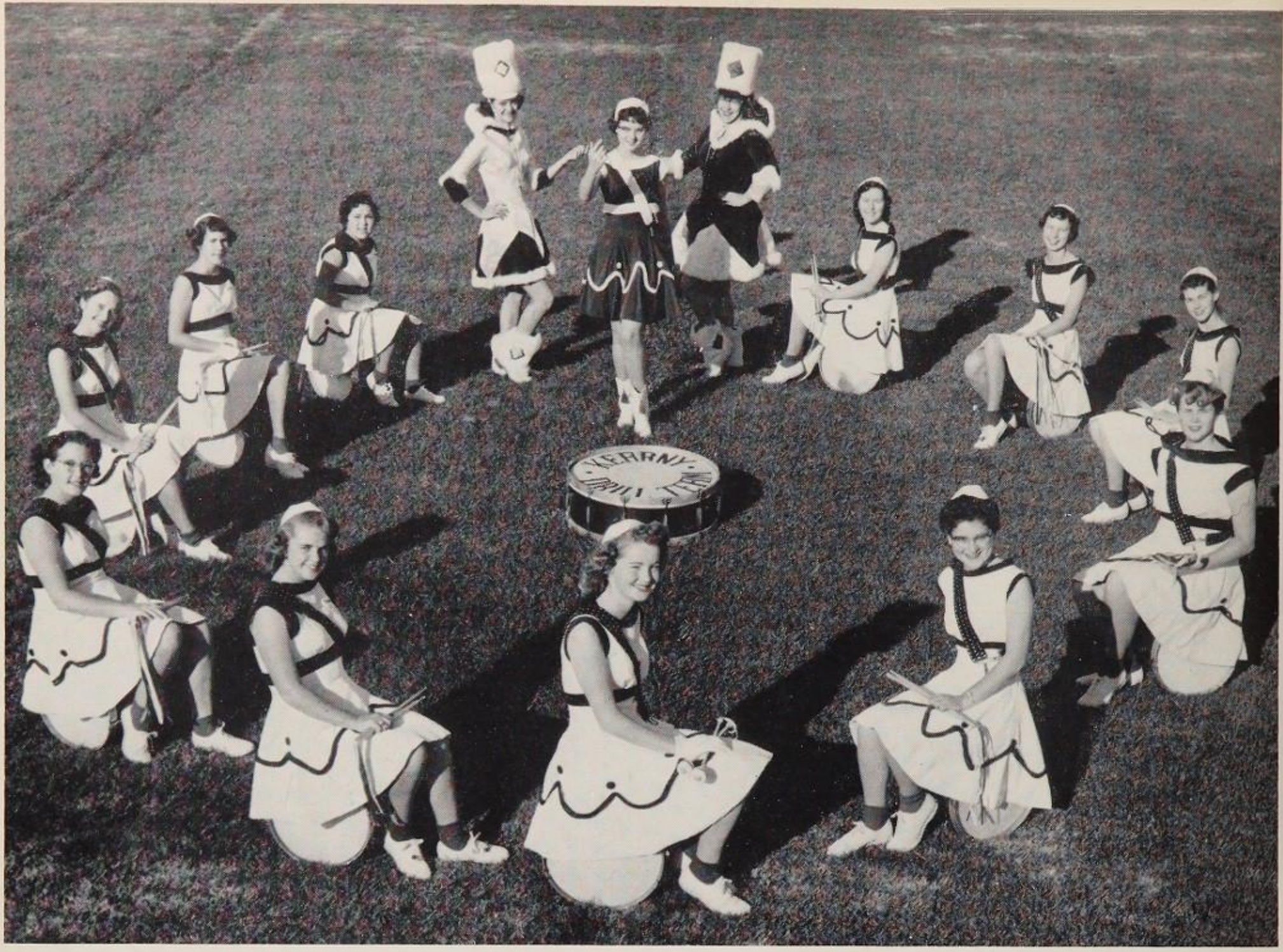
Osborn
Underwood
Yancey

Roberts
Varns
Yunker

Shaver
Weatherly
Zimmerman

2nd Lieutenant **Fellows**

After practicing routines for many long hours, the results of the Pom Pon Corps' time and effort were shown by their precision drilling at all of Kearny's home football games and in the North Park Toyland Parade. With style and pride they were led by Major Gail Jones and Captain Malyndia Ragsdale. The entire Drill Units was under the supervision of their able colonel, Anna Hengst.



Jean Killgore, Delia Vigil, Judy Dukelow, Julie Limburg, Sharon Von Pinnon, Lorah Ellis, Mary Coyle, Ann Fracchiolla, Judy Herberg, Gail Coyle, Carol Carter, Leslie Ryan, Lyn Dukelow, Polly Chadwick.

DRUM CORPS

Under the leadership of Drum Major Jean Killgore and Drum Captain Lyn Dukelow, precision marching as well as a steady beat were provided by the ambitious members of the Drum Corps. These girls practiced long and hard to furnish rhythm for Kearny's marching units.

Miss Dorothy Campbell
Advisor

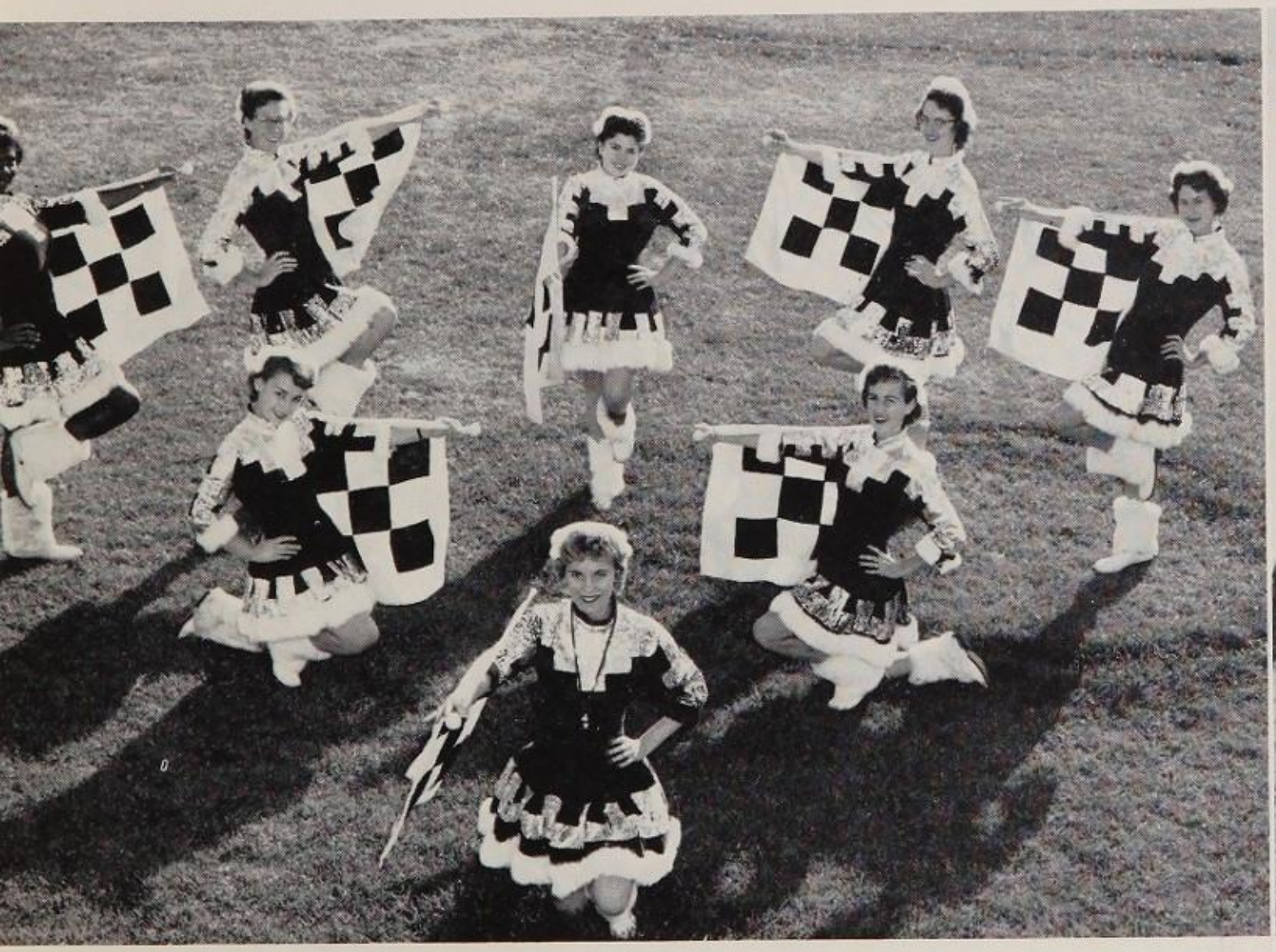
Mrs. Dona Heimerdinger
Advisor

MAJORETTES

As batons twirled, high-stepping Freda Symonds and Linda Fincher, Kearny's two majorettes, paraded smartly. The years of practice to achieve their excellence in the skill of baton twirling resulted for Kearny in many events.

FLAG TWIRLERS

With colorful brilliance in uniform and flags, the flag twirlers were a tremendous addition the Drill Units. Headed by Dorothy Tweed, these girls executed their movements with cision.



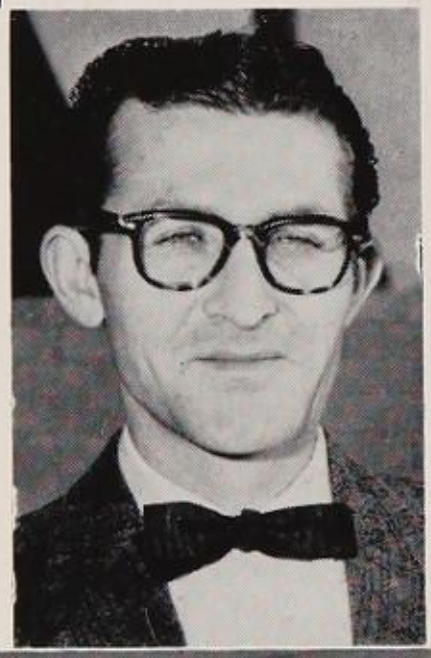
orothy Tweed, Phyllis Shoemaker, Francis Basye, Anita Johnson, Arlene Soderberg, Barbara Nelson, Betty Nolan, Shirley Hefley.

Dorothy Tweed
Head Flag Twirler

DRILL UNIT BAND

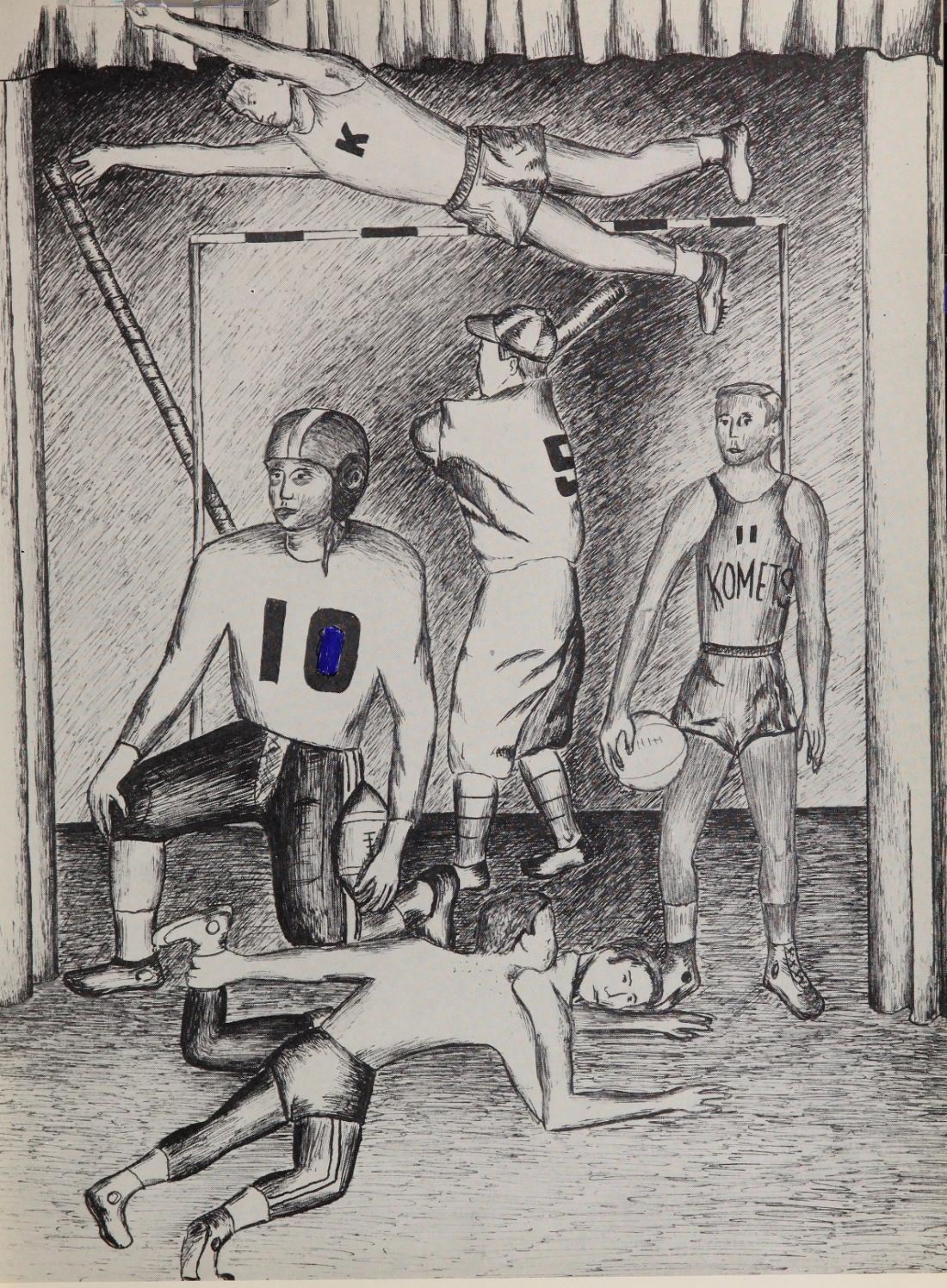
Furnishing Kearny with musical background and marching routines was this year's snappy marching band under the direction of Mr. Welles. Led by Band Major Judy Duke, the band turned out to be as able as the student body hoped they would be.

Judy Duke
Band Majorette



Mr. Roger Welles
Band Director

Drama . . . *a series of real events having dramatic unity and interest*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KOMETS

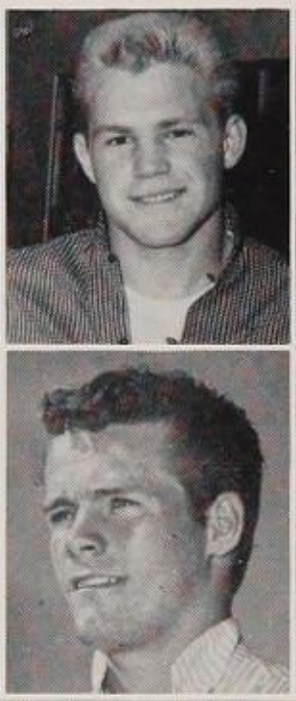
VARSITY FOOTBALL

Kearny proved superior to La Jolla in the 18th Annual Football Carnival, winning 6-0.
The first game of the season was exciting but unsuccessful for us as we lost to Sweetwater 32-0.
Kearny sparkled in its second game, against Mission Bay, rolling up a 32-20 victory.
We faced Laguna Beach in the next game and were defeated 53 to 21.
Kearny's homecoming was successful as they beat La Jolla 21 to 6 on the loser's field.
Lincoln's weight proved beneficial as they defeated the home eleven 25-7.
Kearny was upset by Pt. Loma in their next game 27-7.
With an all-around team effort we upset Grossmont 20 to 16 on their field.
The Komets were outclassed as they lost to the C.P.L. Champs from Hoover, 40 to 14.

Lee Bogle
head coach

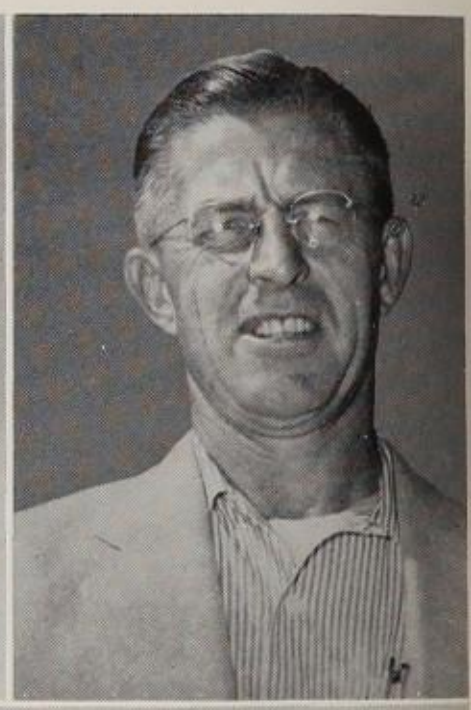
Wilmer Green
co-captain
Harold Ralph
mgr.

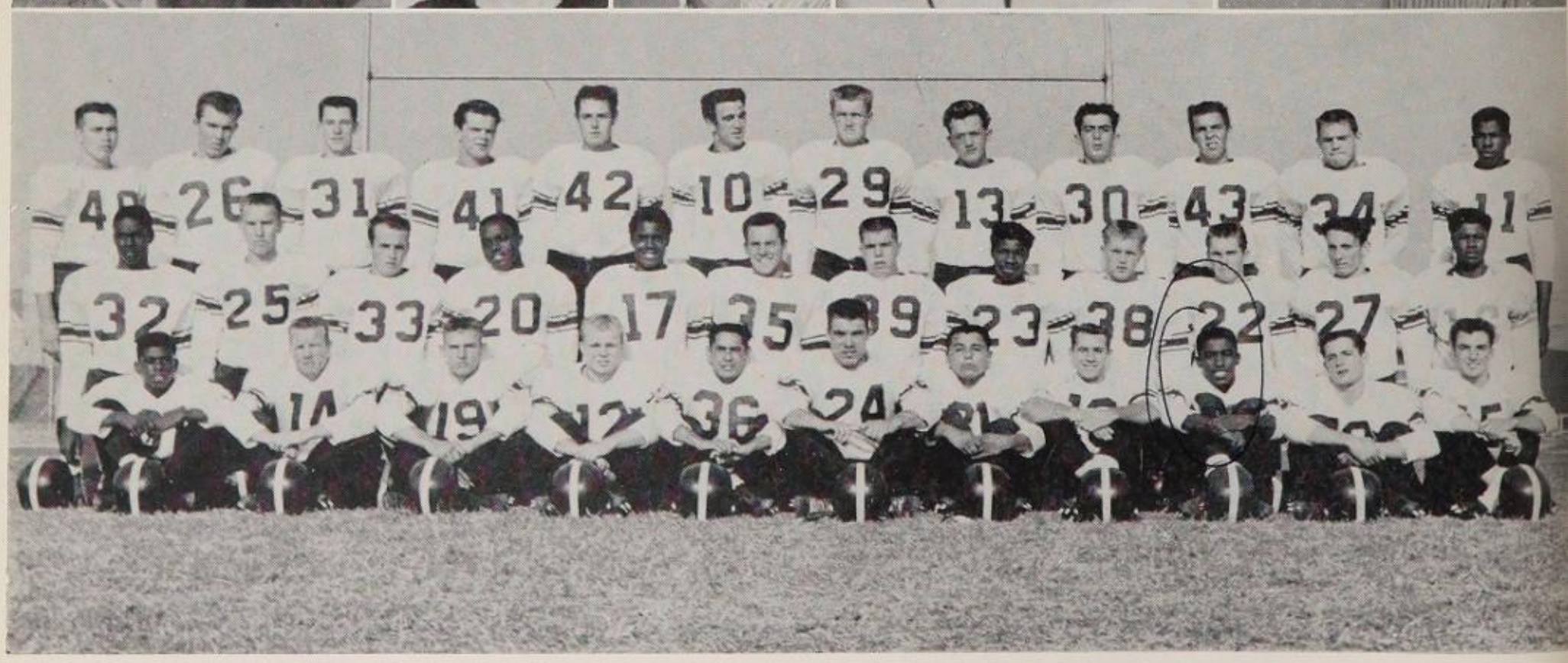
Frank Sharp
co-captain
Bob DeRieux
mgr.



Coach Newman

Coach Pyke





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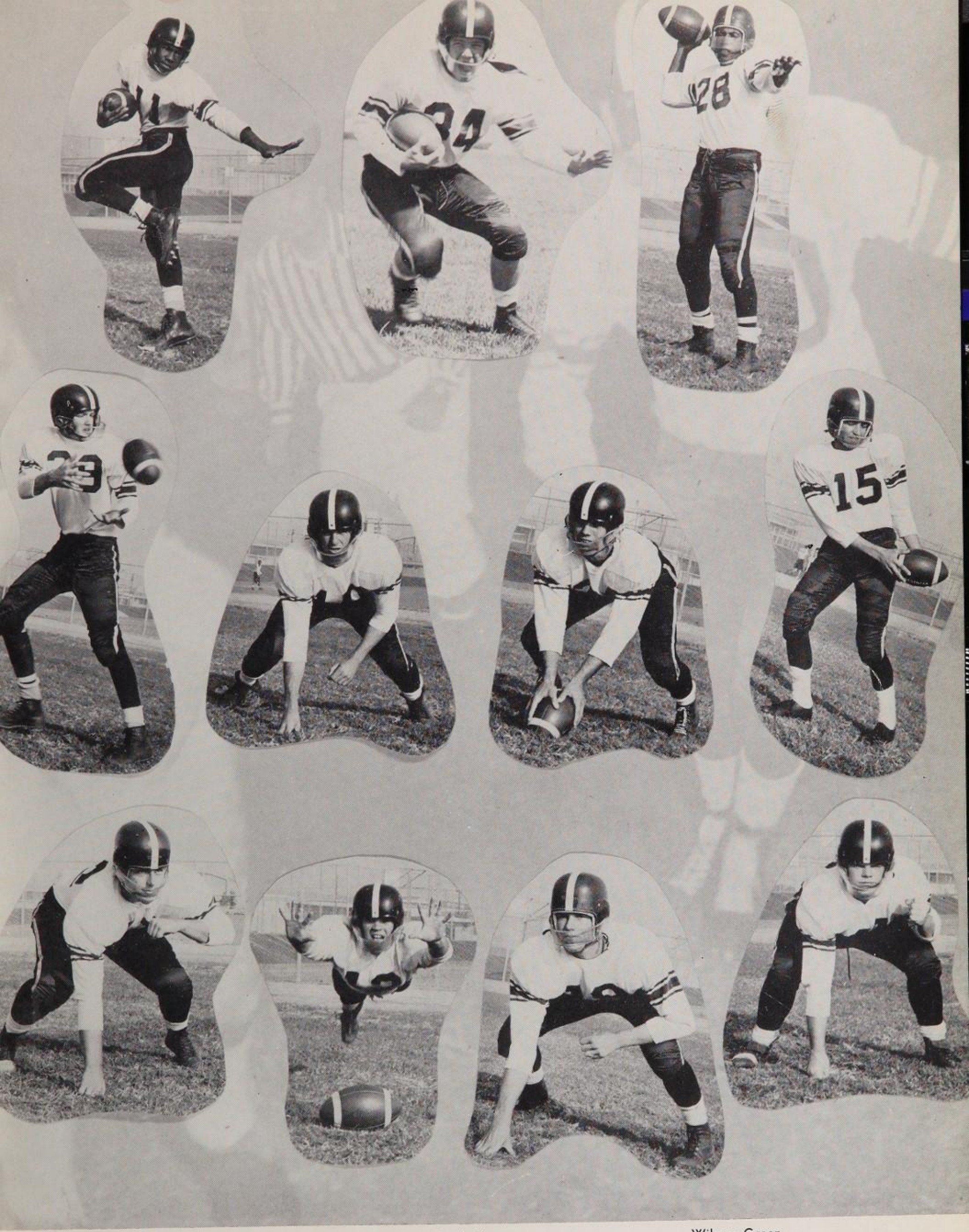


Ed Buchanan
Halfback

Frank Sharp
Fullback

Wilmer Green
Halfback

Travis Auiler
End

Jim Sullivan
Quarterback

Bill Inderweis
Center

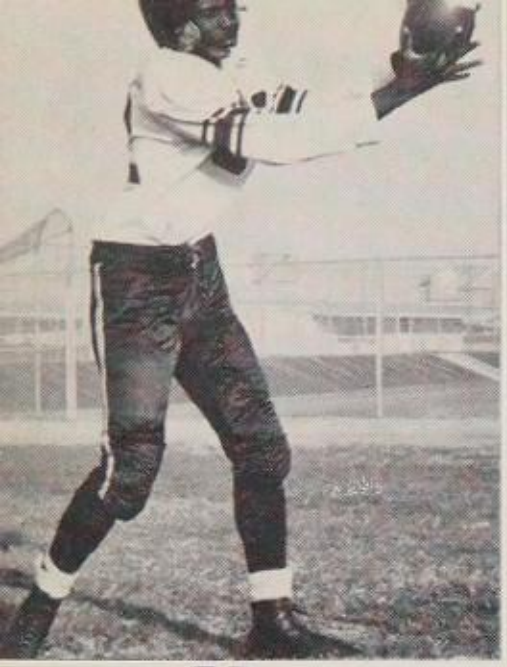
Wayne Bell
End

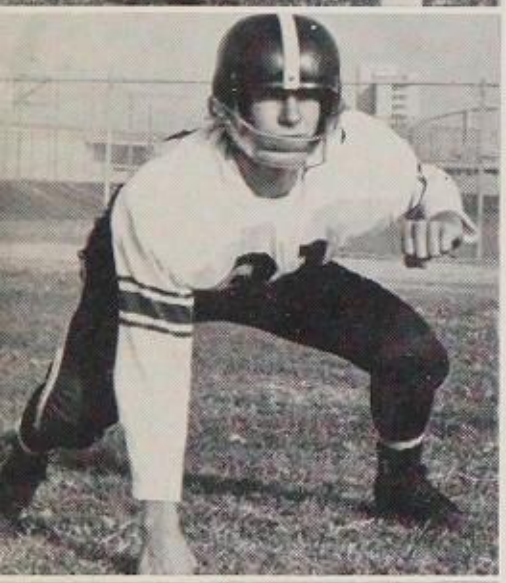
Jack Mowers
Tackle

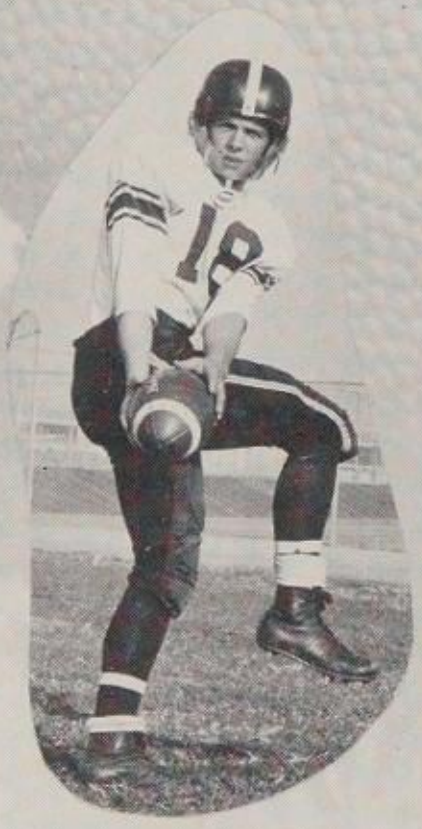
Bob Baumgarten
Guard

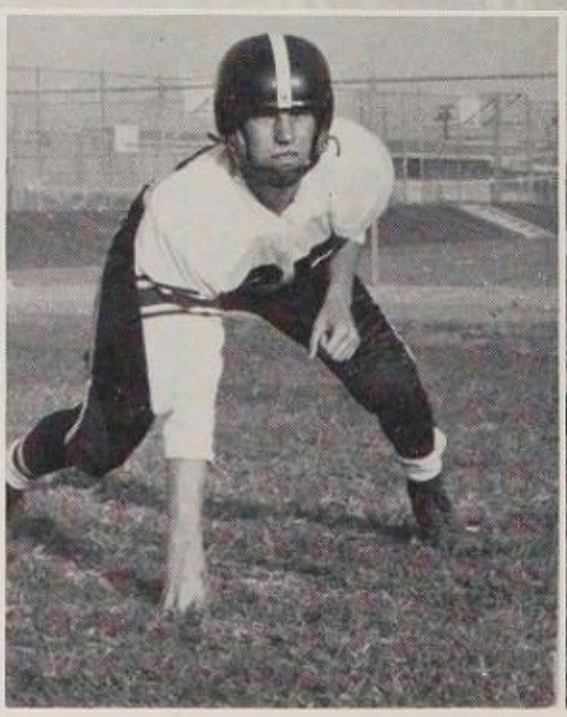
Gary Butcher
Guard

Bill Bailey
Tackle









Cleavon Little
End

Don Menzies
End

Walter Nelson
Tackle

Don Mojado
Guard

Tom Clovis
Quarterback

Jimmy Ray
End

David Blevins
Quarterback

Bill McCain
Halfback

Wayne Dubrava
Guard

Lawrence Talamantez
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Frank Jennings
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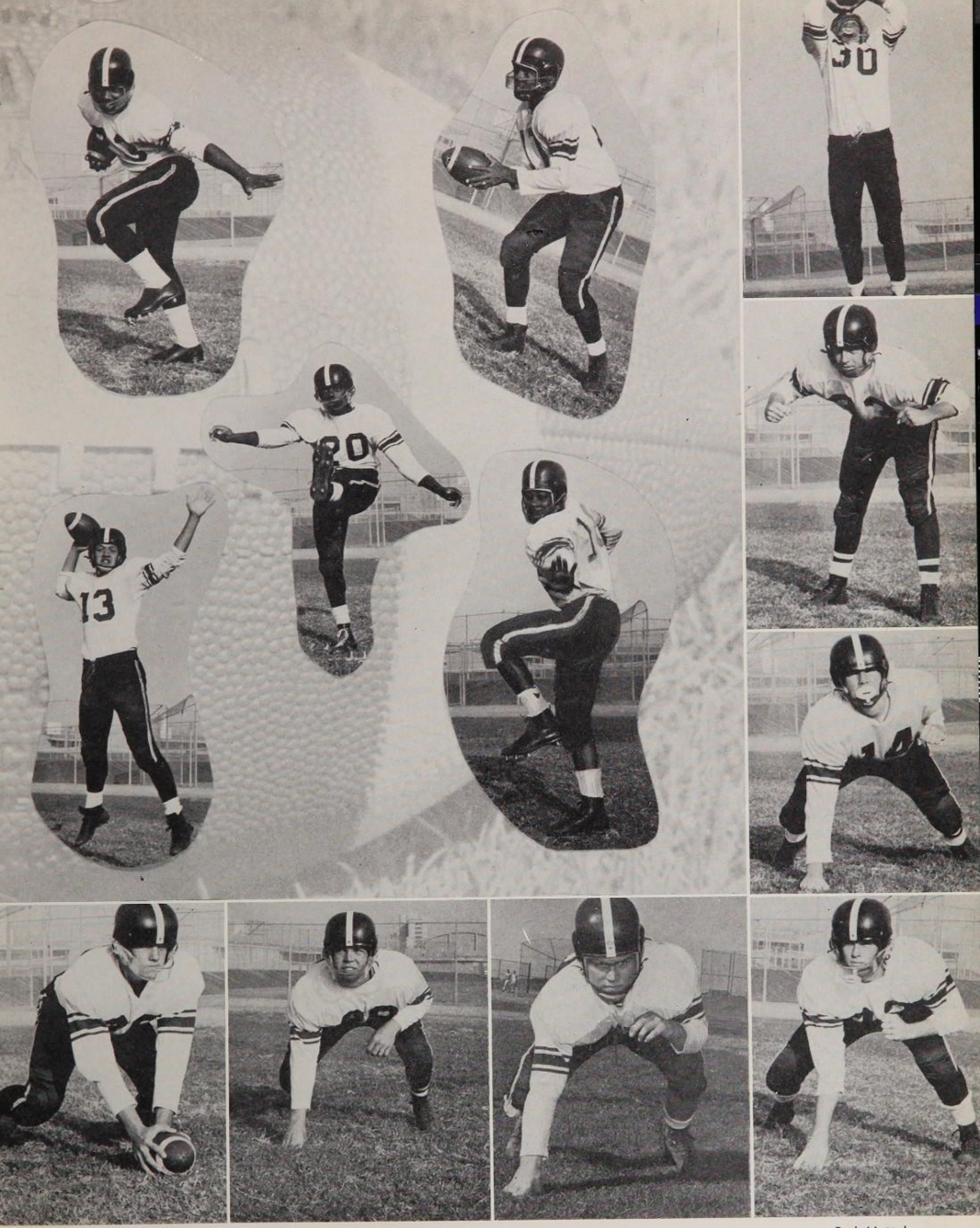
Jim Jenks
Center



Jesse Johnson
Halfback

Jerry Blackwell
Fullback

Clifford Valanzino
Center

Art Cunningham
Halfback

John Hedrick
Guard

Ken Griffin
Quarterback

Ronnie Siggers
End

Dick Dunphy
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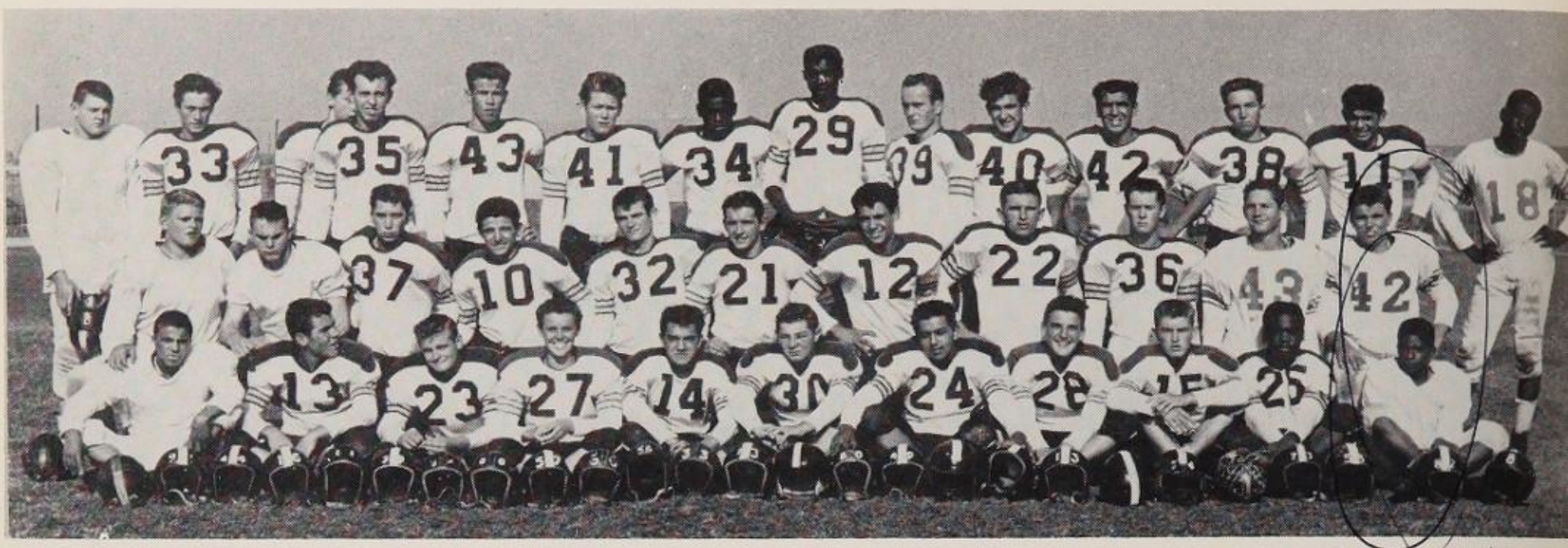
Bud Hottel
End

David Dowling
End

Stuart Taber
Guard

Bob Story
Tackle

J. V. FOOTBALL



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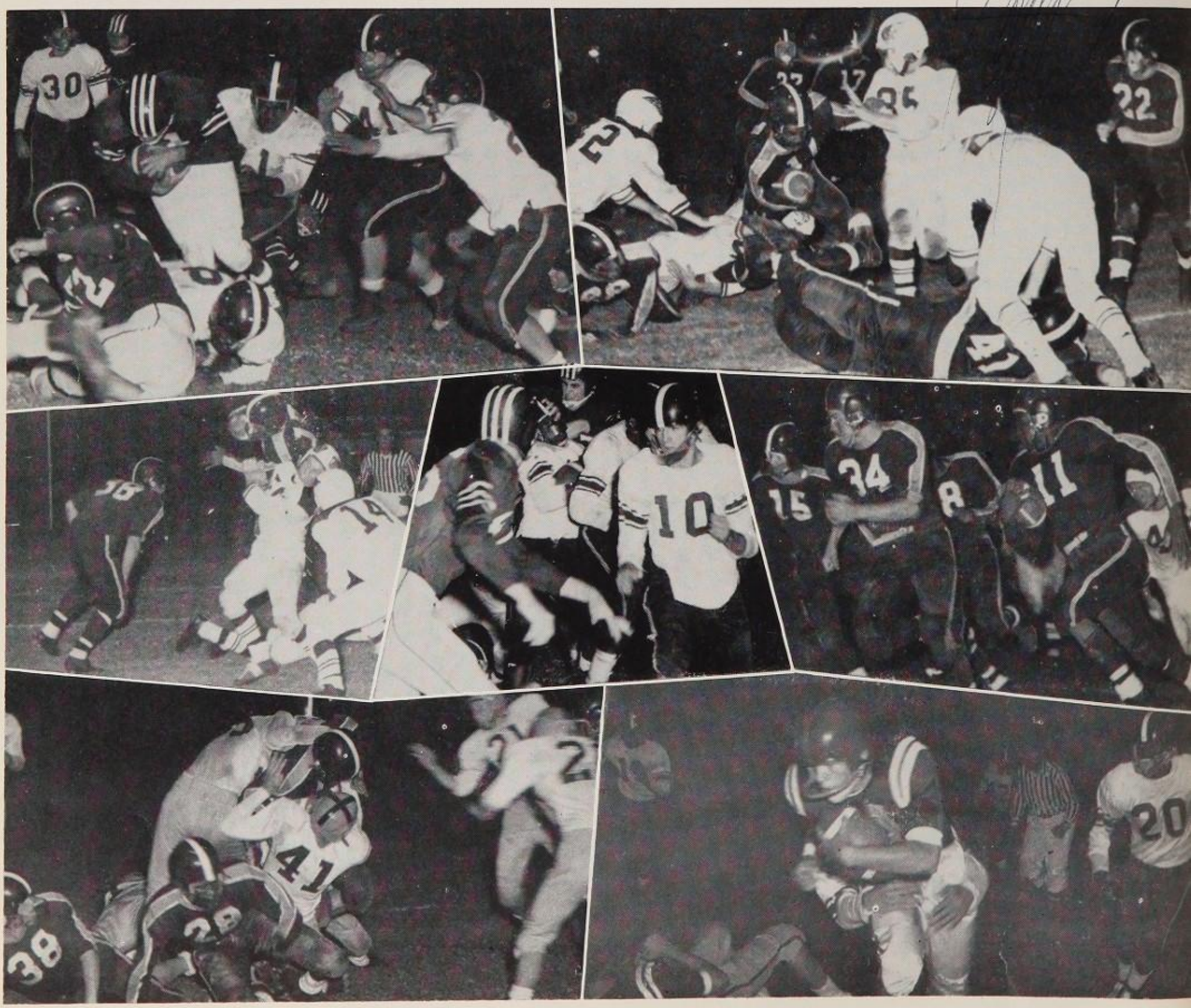

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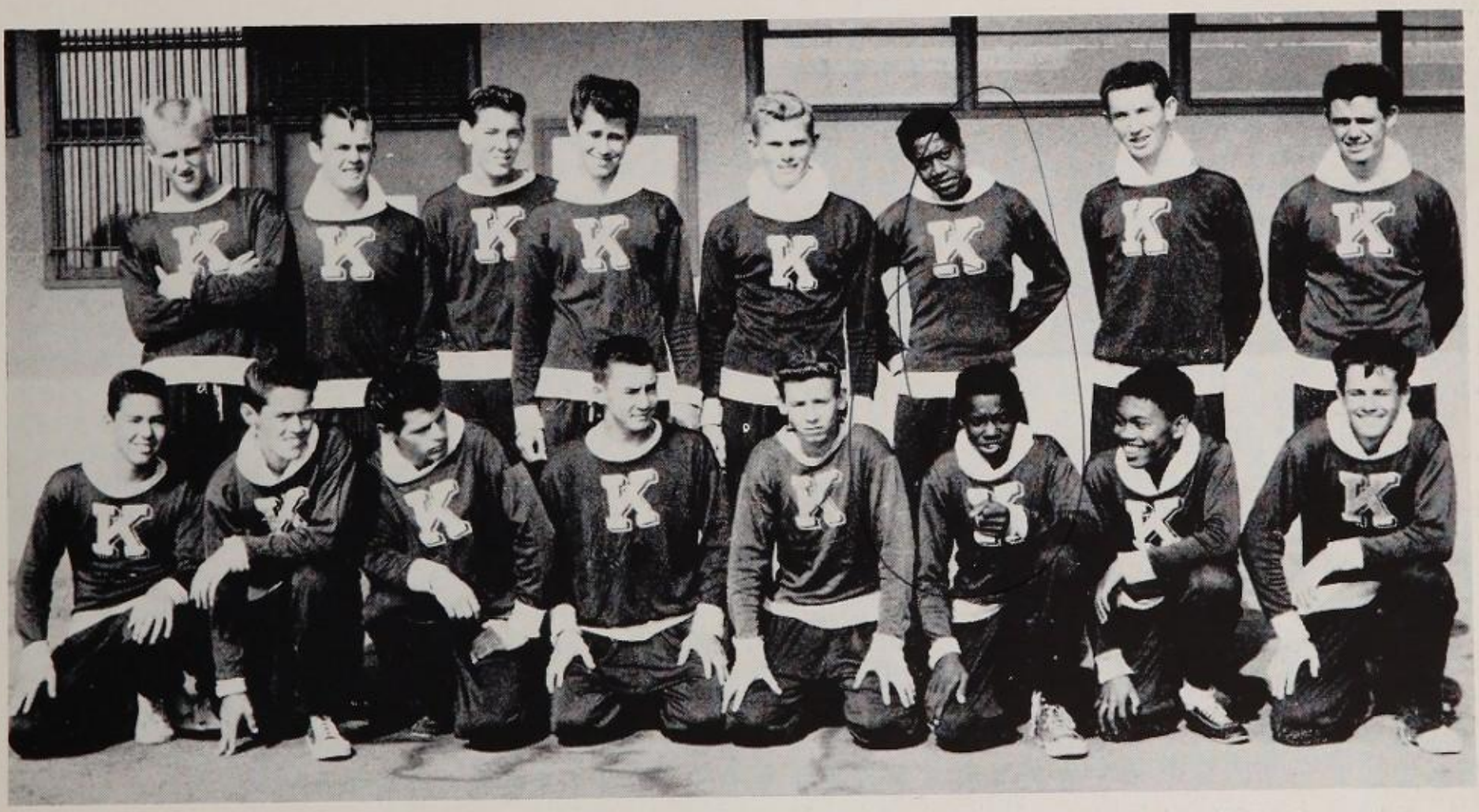
CROSS COUNTRY



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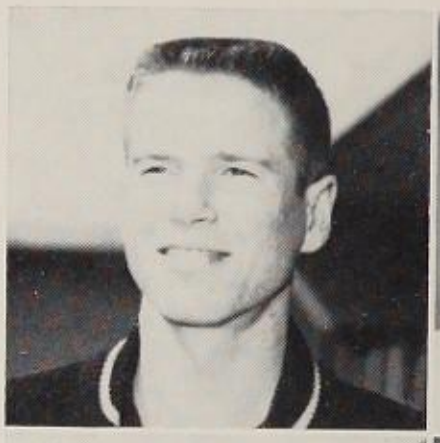
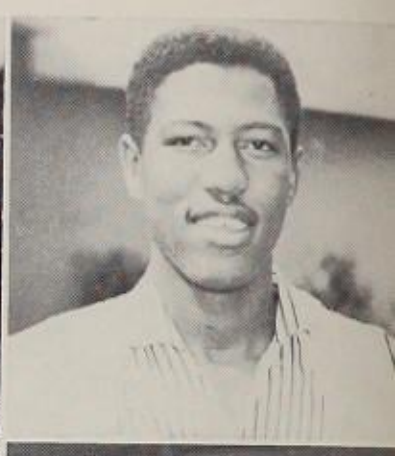
VARSITY BASKETBALL

This year's basketball team should be highly commended for the fine job which they did. After a slow start, at the beginning of the season, they came back to upset some of the top teams in the league, and finished with a 6 won, 6 lost league record and 11 wins and 10 losses for the whole season.

Jerry Stryker
Captain

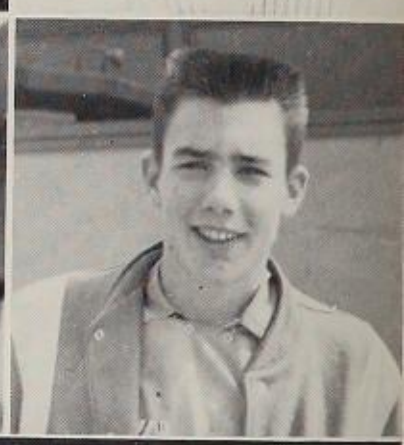


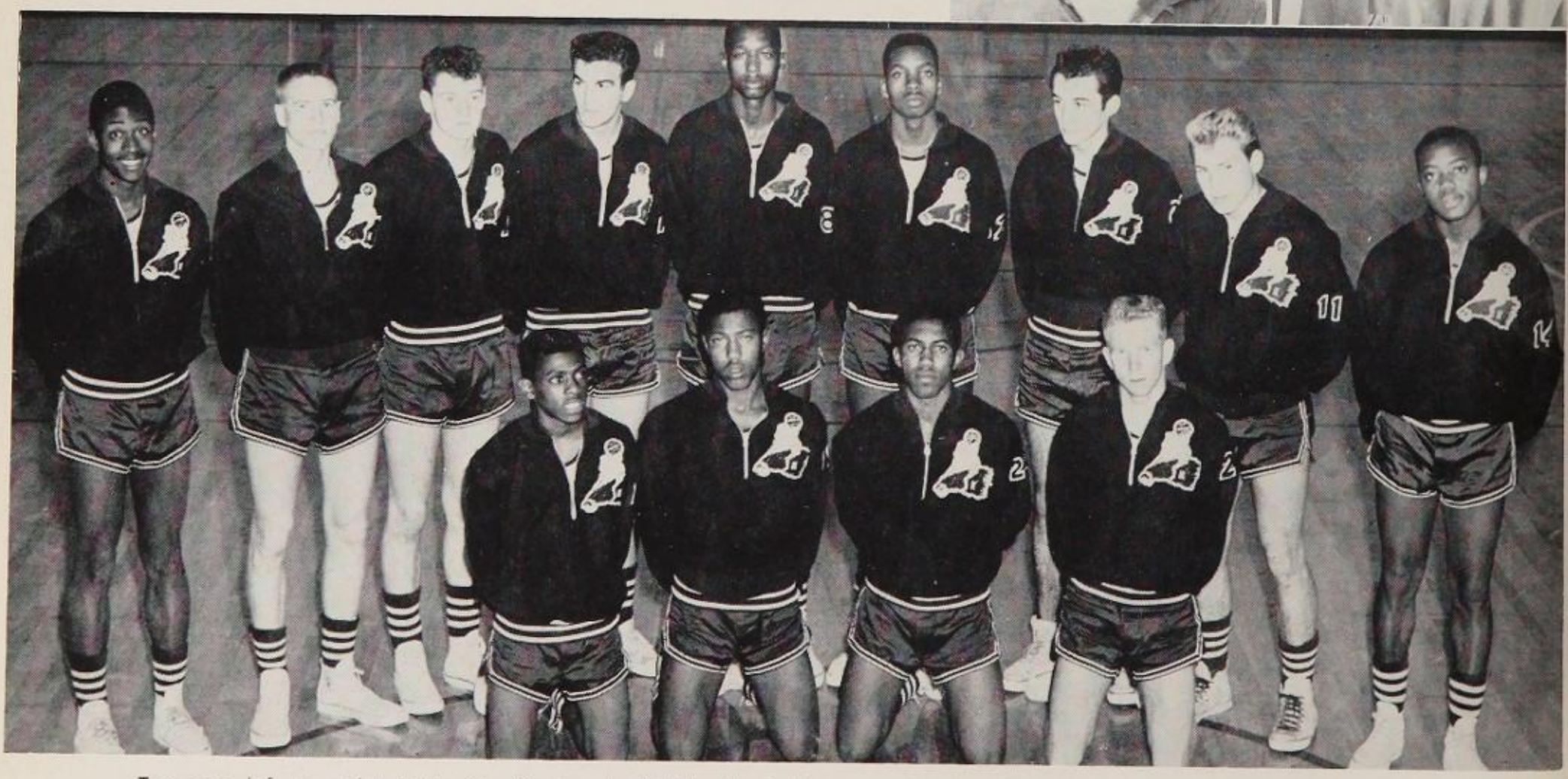
Ervin Green
M.V.P.



Bill Wilson
Mgr.

Jim Delaney
Mgr.





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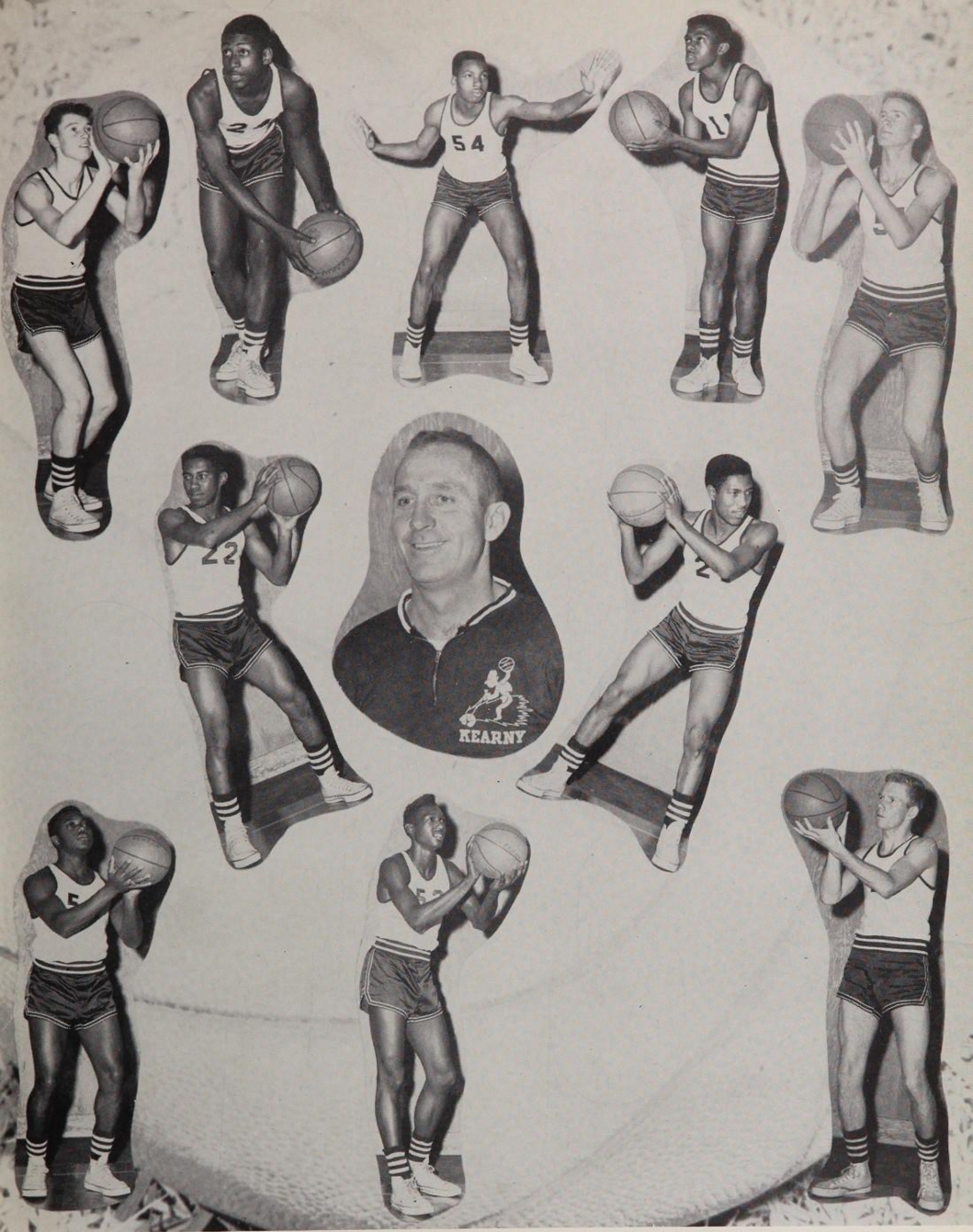

Harold Ralph
Forward

Cleavon Little
Forward

Waymond Johnson
Forward

David Blevins
Guard

Jerry Stryker
Forward

Coach Dowell

Art Cunningham
Guard

Wilmer Green
Guard

Glen Smith
Center

Eirven Green
Guard

Bill Meeche
Guard

BASKETBALL SCORES

Kearny	48	Alumni	44	Kearny	58	El Cajon	23
Kearny	53	Sweetwater	51	Kearny	39	Mission Bay	36
Kearny	38	Chula Vista	43	Kearny	49	Hoover	65
Kearny	45	Helix	64	Kearny	62	San Diego	58
Kearny	53	Mar Vista	31	Kearny	44	Lincoln	57
Kearny	48	Beverly Hills	51	Kearny	50	La Jolla	29
Kearny	52	Point Loma	57	Kearny	57	Point Loma	49
Kearny	50	San Diego	61	Kearny	44	Grossmont	38
Kearny	33	Lincoln	61	Kearny	66	Mission Bay	57
Kearny	61	La Jolla	38	Kearny	38	Hoover	60
Kearny	29	Point Loma	41				

J. V. BASKETBALL

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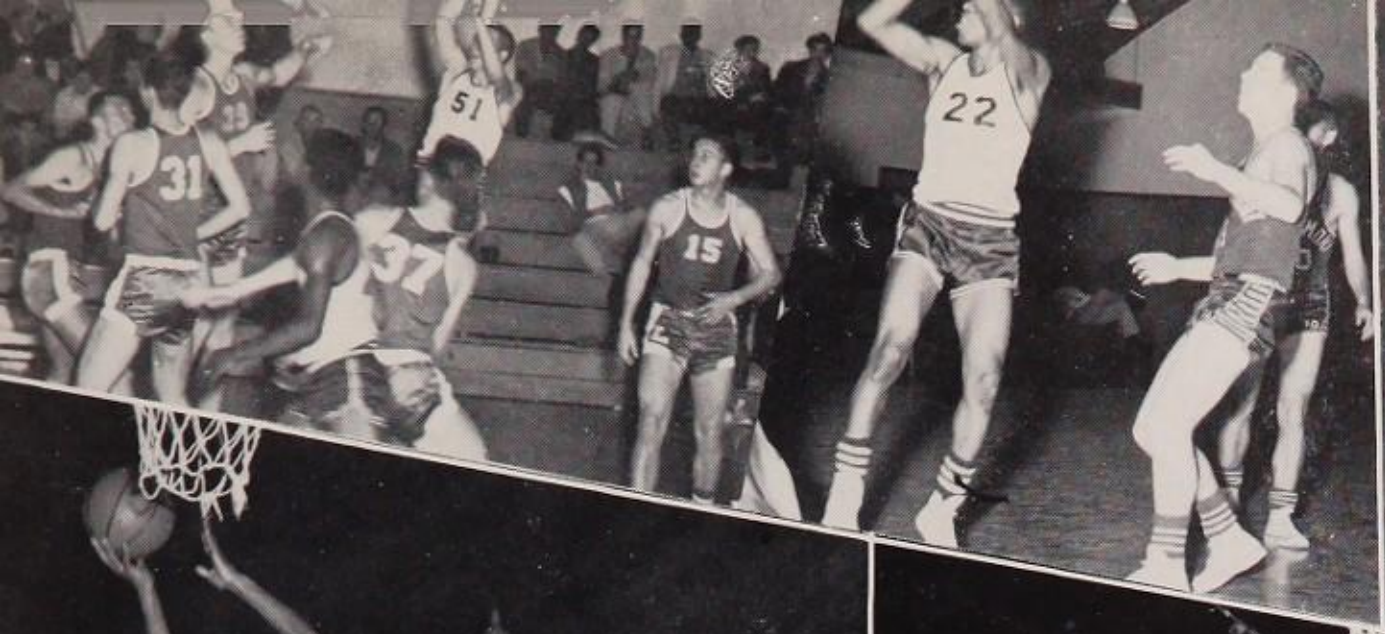
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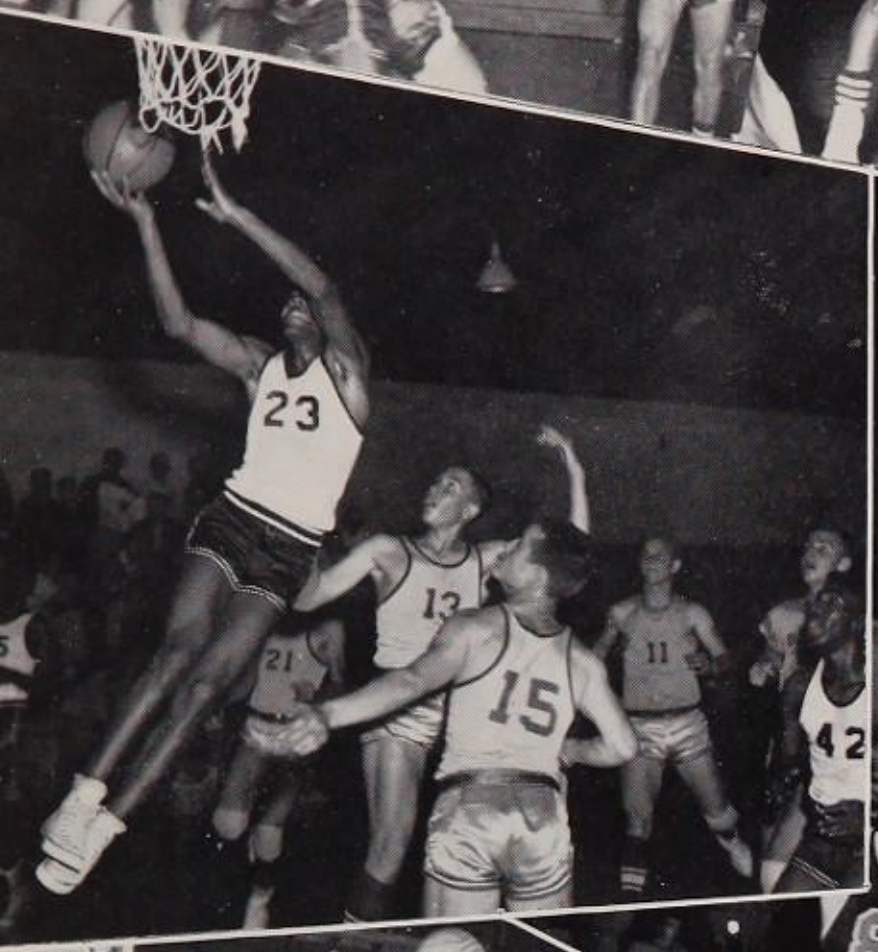
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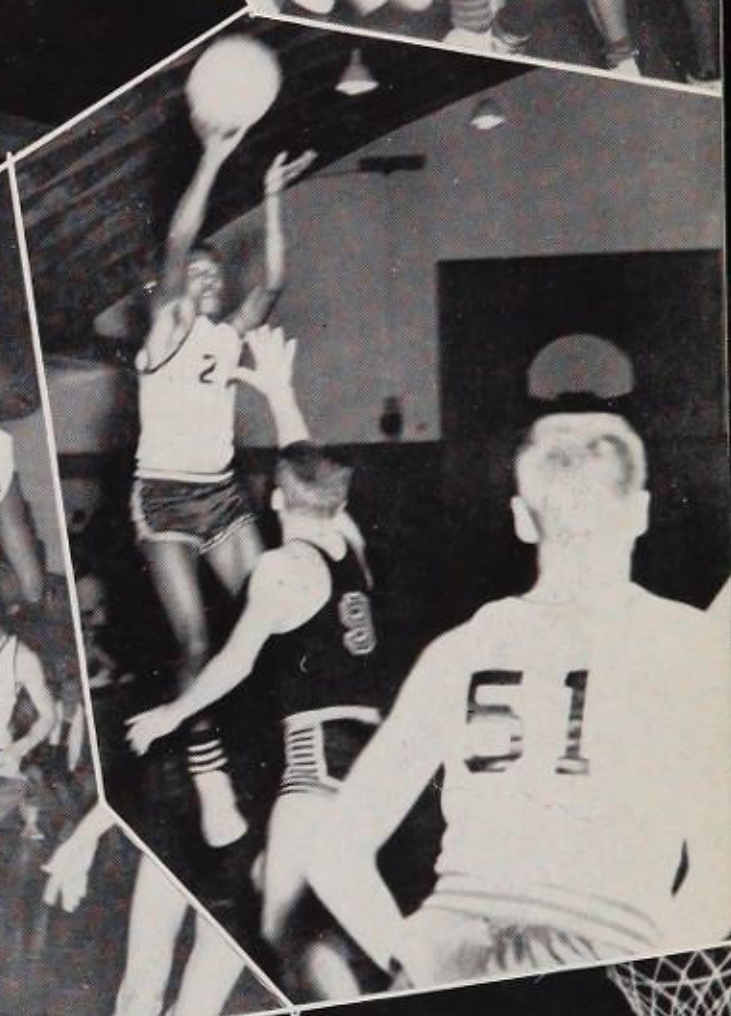
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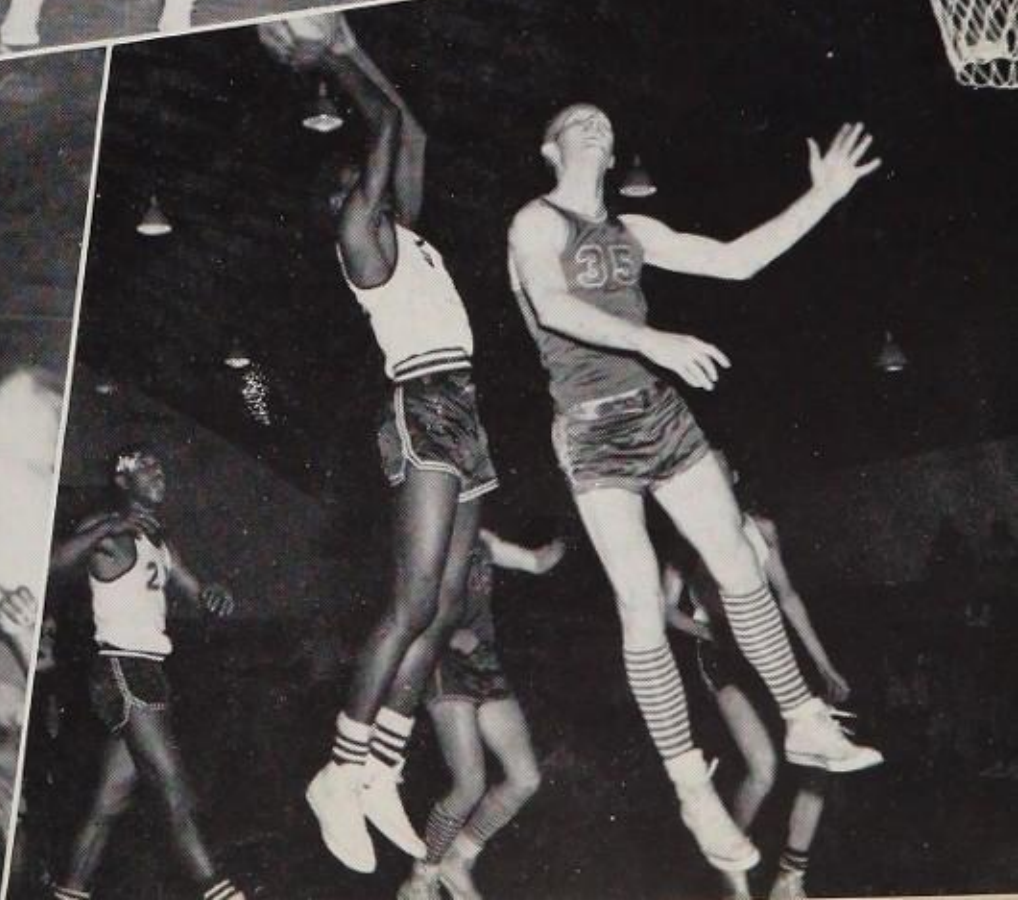
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WRESTLING

Kearny	26	Helix 22
Kearny	44	Hoover 8
Kearny	37	Lincoln 13
Kearny	44	Mission Bay 3
Kearny	35	Escondido 8
Kearny	34	Grossmont 18
Kearny	22	San Diego 21
Kearny	35	Vista 9
Kearny	20	San Diego 22

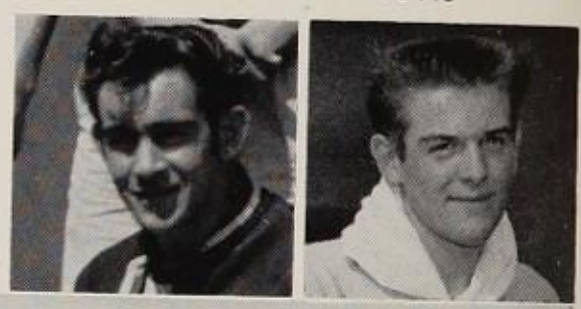
For the second year in a row the wrestling team won the S.C.I.F. Wrestling Championship which was held at California High School in Los Angeles.

Much of the success of this year's team was due to the enthusiasm of the grapplers and also to the expert handling of Coach Lee Bogle who has put much time and effort into bringing the championship back to Kearny once again.

S.C.I.F. CHAMPIONS

JOHN NUNEZ, 120 lb.

MORRIS AKERS, 154 lb.



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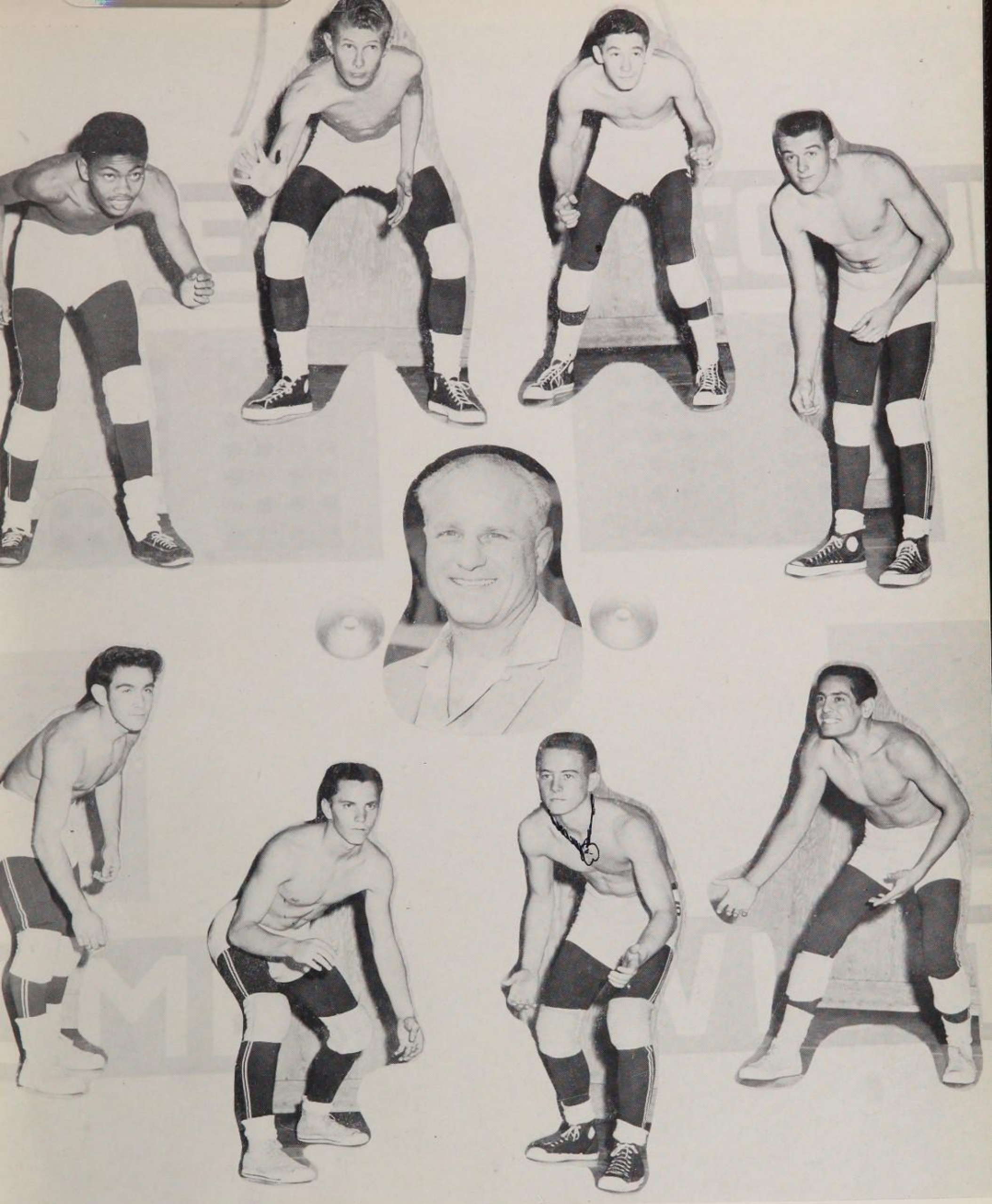


Willie Green
103 lbs.

John Nunez
120 lbs.

Frank Cantrell
95 lbs.

Charles Cartmill
133 lbs.

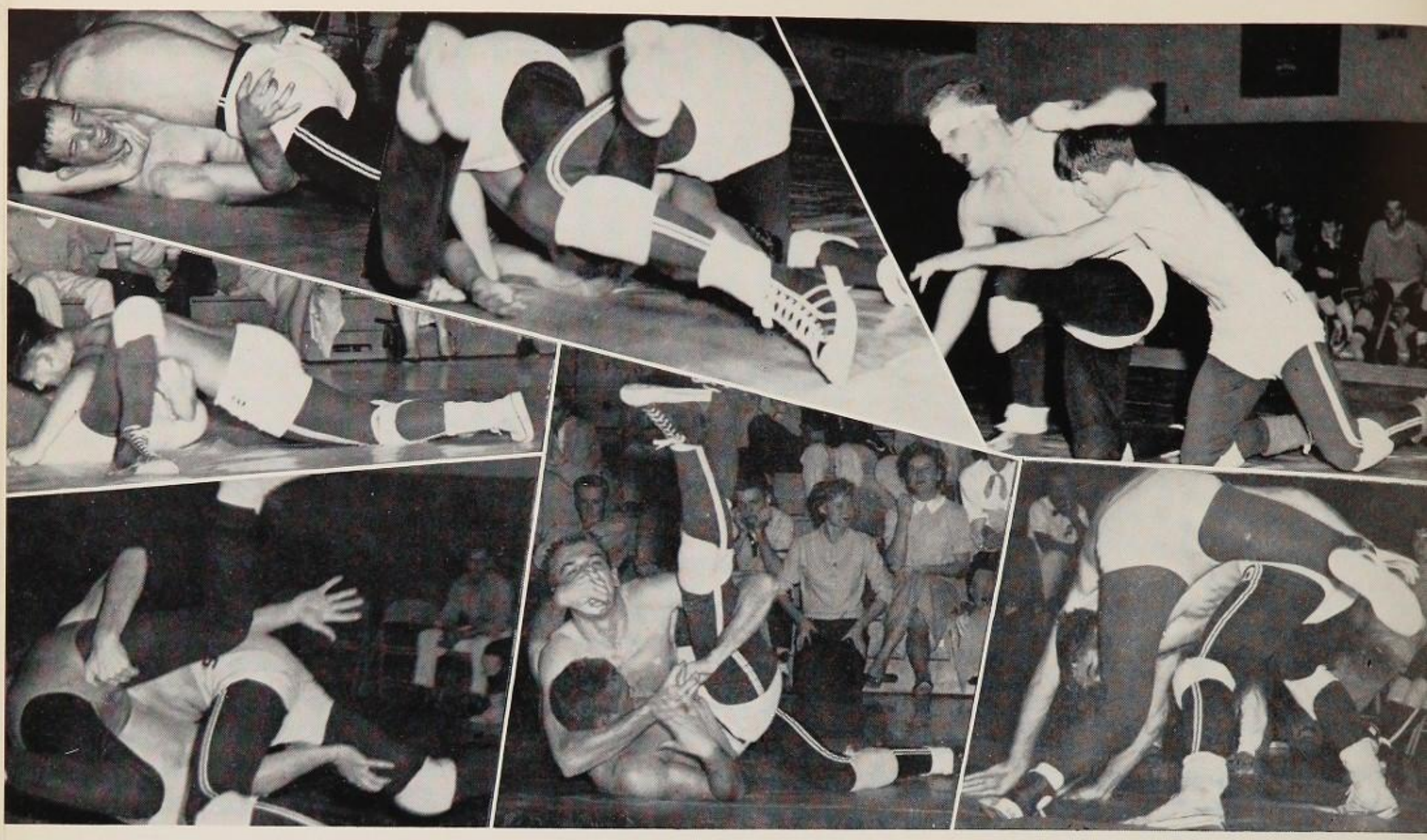
Coach Bogle

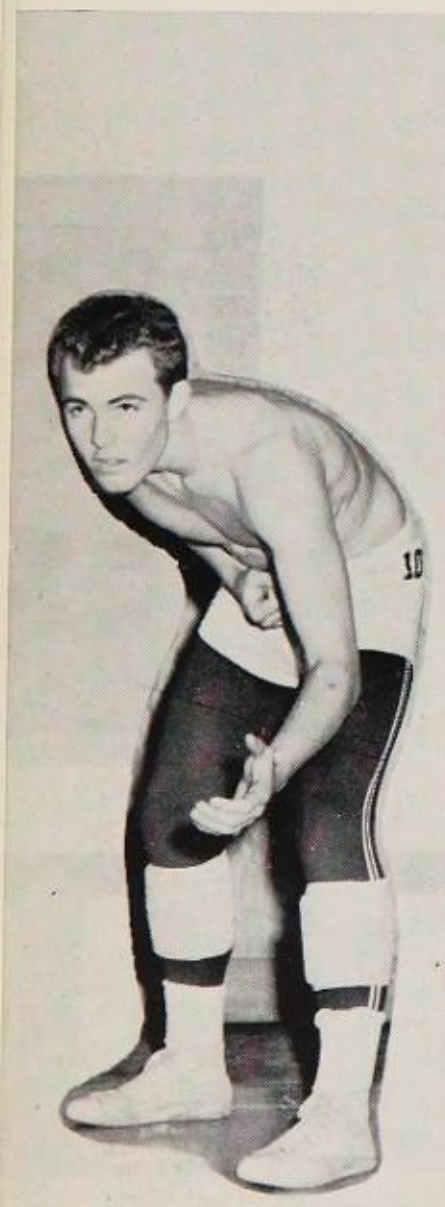
Carl Swauger
112 lbs.

Scott Boyd
127 lbs.

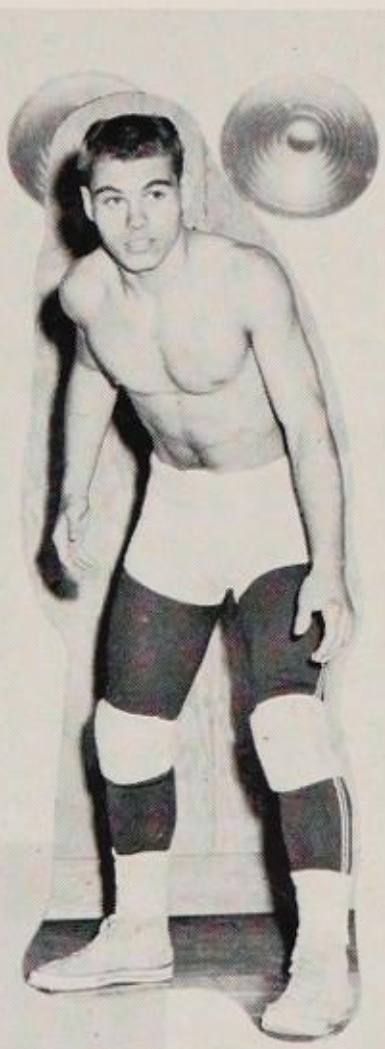
Morris Akers
145 lbs.

Lawrence Talamantez
138 lbs.



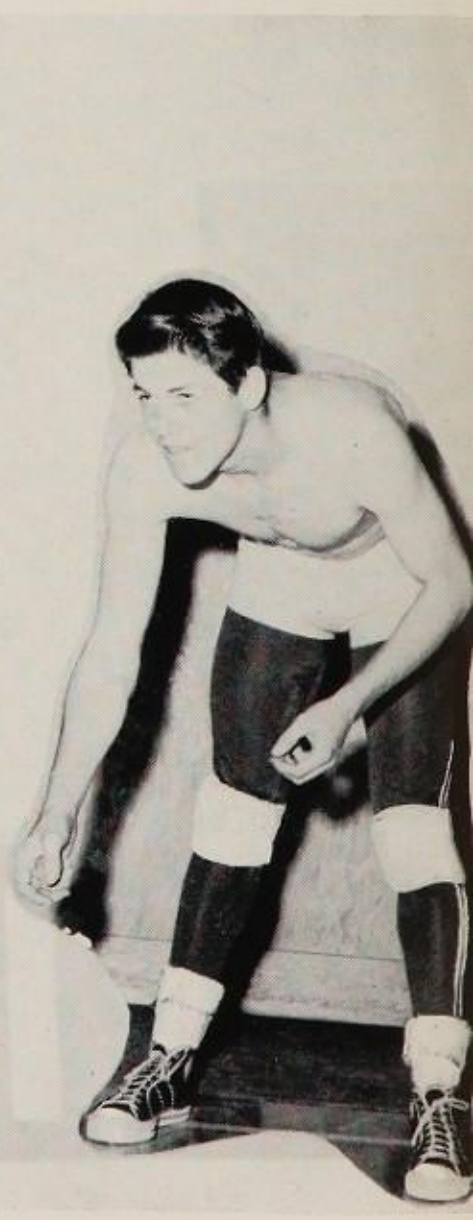


Jim Jenks
165 lbs.



Bill Inderweis
154 lbs.

Phil Tilden
Heavyweight



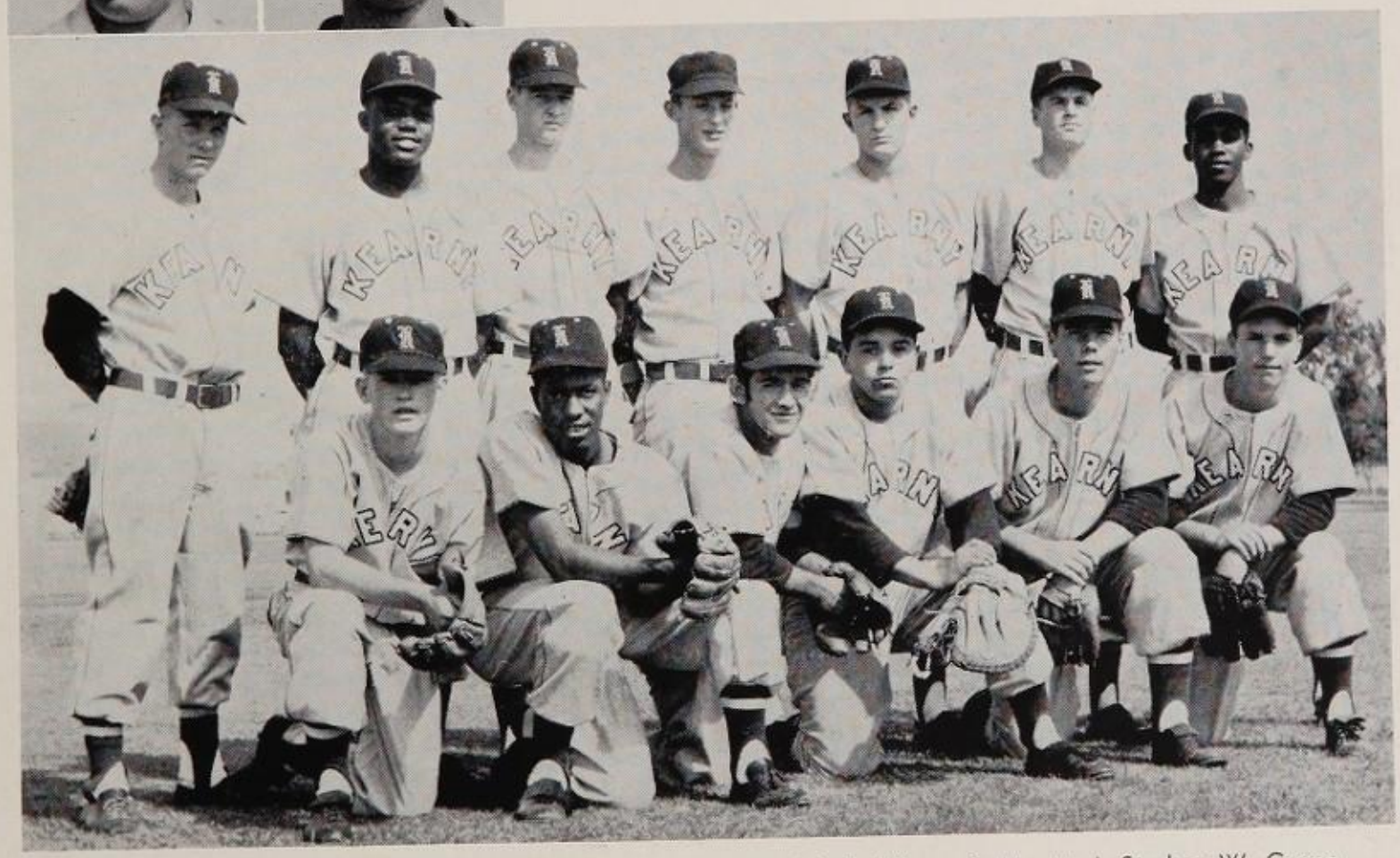
Bill Moreno
175 lbs.

BASEBALL

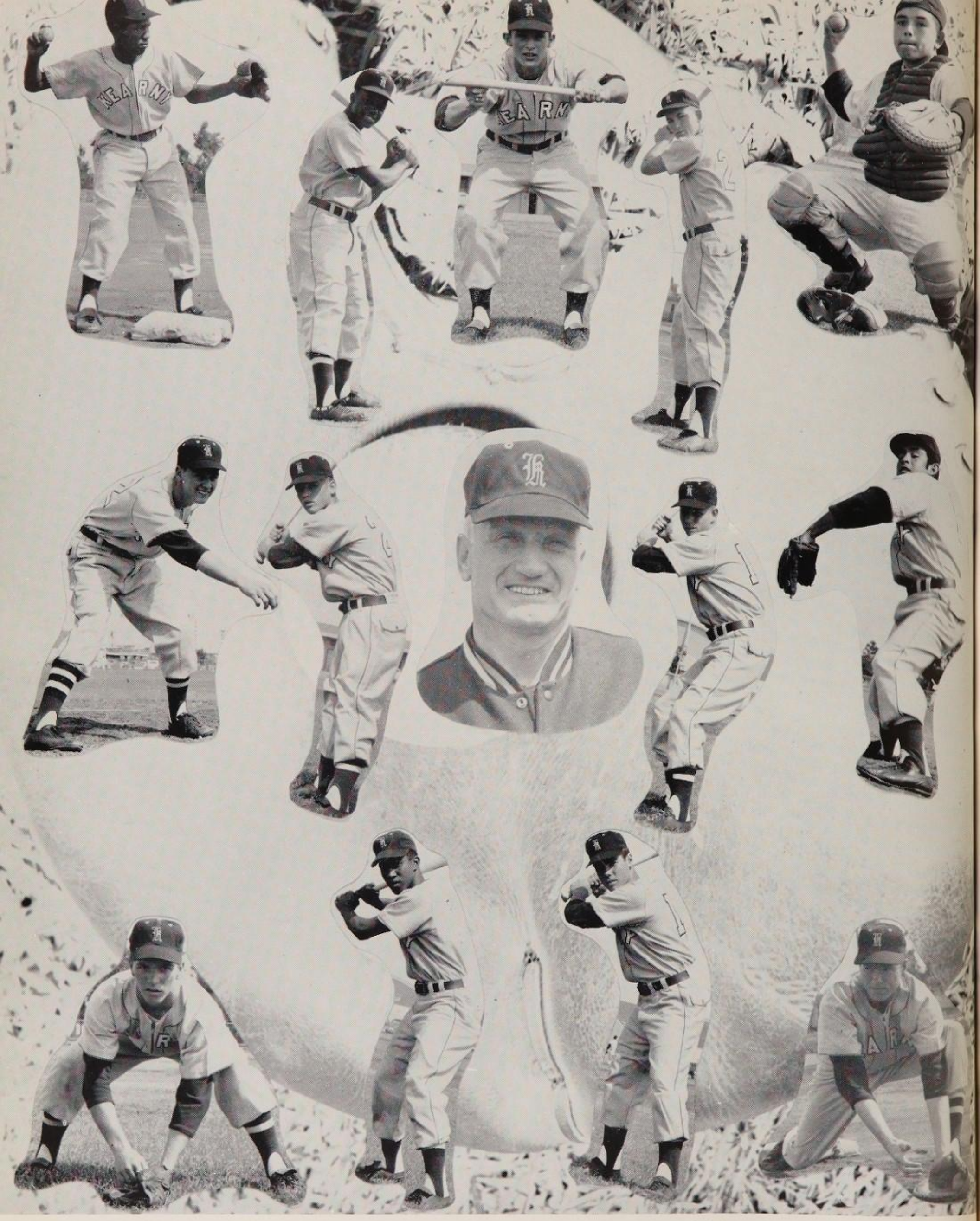
This year's baseball team has had a good season, as the scores will indicate. Even in defeat, the boys were always hustling and playing their best.

Ronnie Burns
Manager

Bill Wilson
Manager



Top row, left to right: B. Meeche, A. Cunningham, H. Ralph, B. Wing, R. Myatt, J. Stryker, W. Green.
Bottom row: B. Shoemaker, E. Green, J. Nunez, D. Mojado, A. Elmore, C. Cartmill.



Eirven Green
Infield

Art Cunningham
Outfield

Bob Wing
Outfield

Ralph Myatt
Pitcher

Don Mojado
Catcher

Harold Ralph
P., Outfield

Bill Shoemaker
Outfield

Coach Deacon

Bill Meeche
Infield

John Nunez
Pitcher

Charles Cartmill
Infield

Wilmer Green
Infield

Allen Elmore
Outfield

Jerry Stryker
P., Infield

J. V. BASEBALL

Back row, left to right: L. Duhme, Coach Sippel, F. Ducote, R. Greenwell, W. Doubrava, T. Teebeau. **Middle row:** L. Jesse, M. Northcutt, C. Mojado, K. Richard, J. Cowan. **Front row:** T. Clovis, F. Coleman, K. Mickelson, S. Cullen, H. McCracken.

VARSITY BASEBALL SCORES

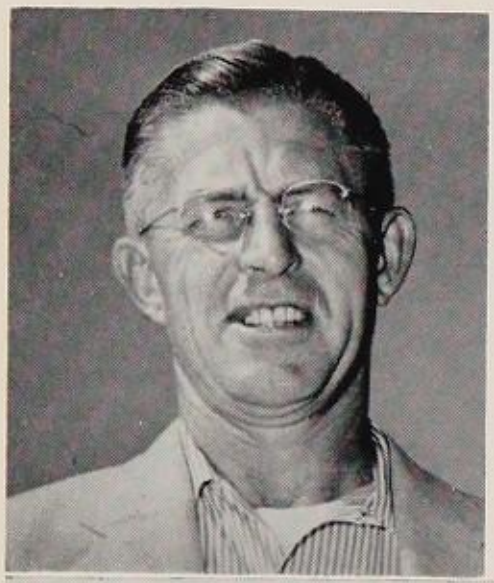
Kearny	8	Escondido	0
Kearny	1	Helix	4
Kearny	7	Helix	10
Kearny	4	Grossmont	3
Kearny	6	Chula Vista	3
Kearny	13	Escondido	3
Kearny	6	Lincoln	4
Kearny	12	La Jolla	0
Kearny	0	Mission Bay	10
Kearny	4	Hoover	7
Kearny	2	Point Loma	4
Kearny	11	Inglewood	1
Kearny	13	Lincoln	5
Kearny	6	San Diego	9
Kearny	4	San Diego	10
Kearny	9	El Cajon	0
Kearny	9	Lincoln	5
Kearny	6	La Jolla	1
Kearny	1	Mission Bay	6
*Kearny		Hoover	
*Kearny		Point Loma	
*Kearny		San Diego	

*Games unplayed at press time.

"A" TRACK

Kearny	79	Saint Augustine	30
Kearny	43	Lincoln	61
Kearny	68	Point Loma	35
Kearny	58	Mission Bay	45
Kearny	41	Hoover	61
Kearny	25	San Diego	79
Kearny	61	La Jolla	38

COACH PYKE



This year's track team turned in a very fine performance as they won five meets and lost three. With a lot of juniors and sophomores on the squad this year, the prospects for a better season next year are very good.

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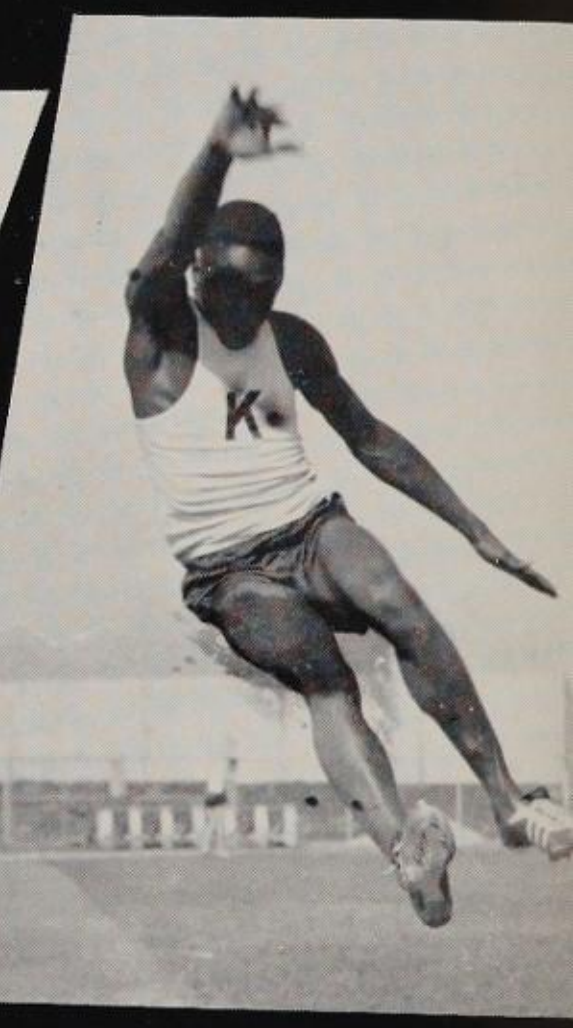
Bottom row: L. Ray, R. Siggers, C. Little, E. Webster, E. Buchanan, G. Williams, J. Hedrick, B. McCain.

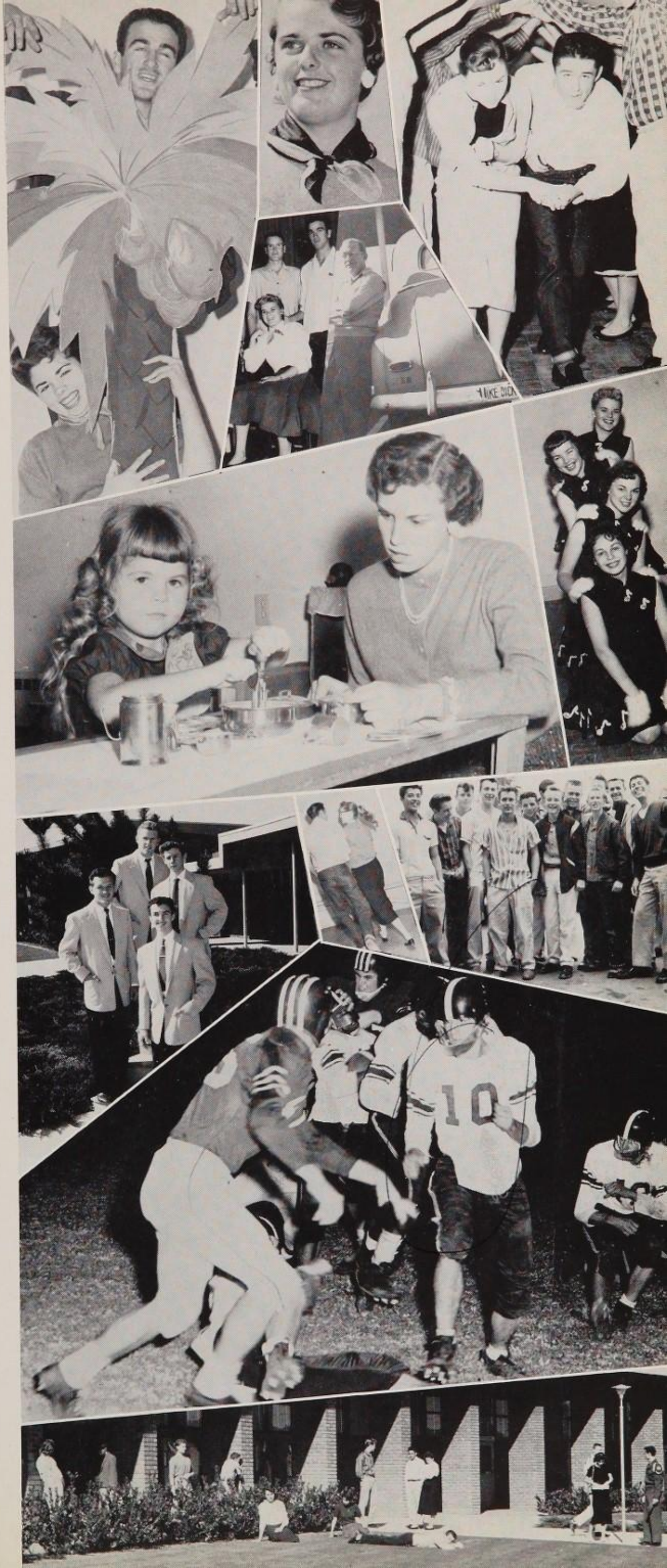
"B" TRACK

Top row, left to right: L. Cress, D. Hankins, L. Baldock, C. Howard, J. Johnson, W. Bell, I. Taylor, K. Griffin, R. Weir, W. Green. **Bottom row:** J. Wager, A. Lopez, B. Adame, M. Cantrell, T. Hasten, B. Laytan, J. Mize, J. Coziahr.

"C" TRACK

Top row, left to right: M. McIntosh, L. Leary, M. Cook, J. Poechl. **Bottom row:** O. D. Murphy, Taylor, B. Jackson, R. Little.





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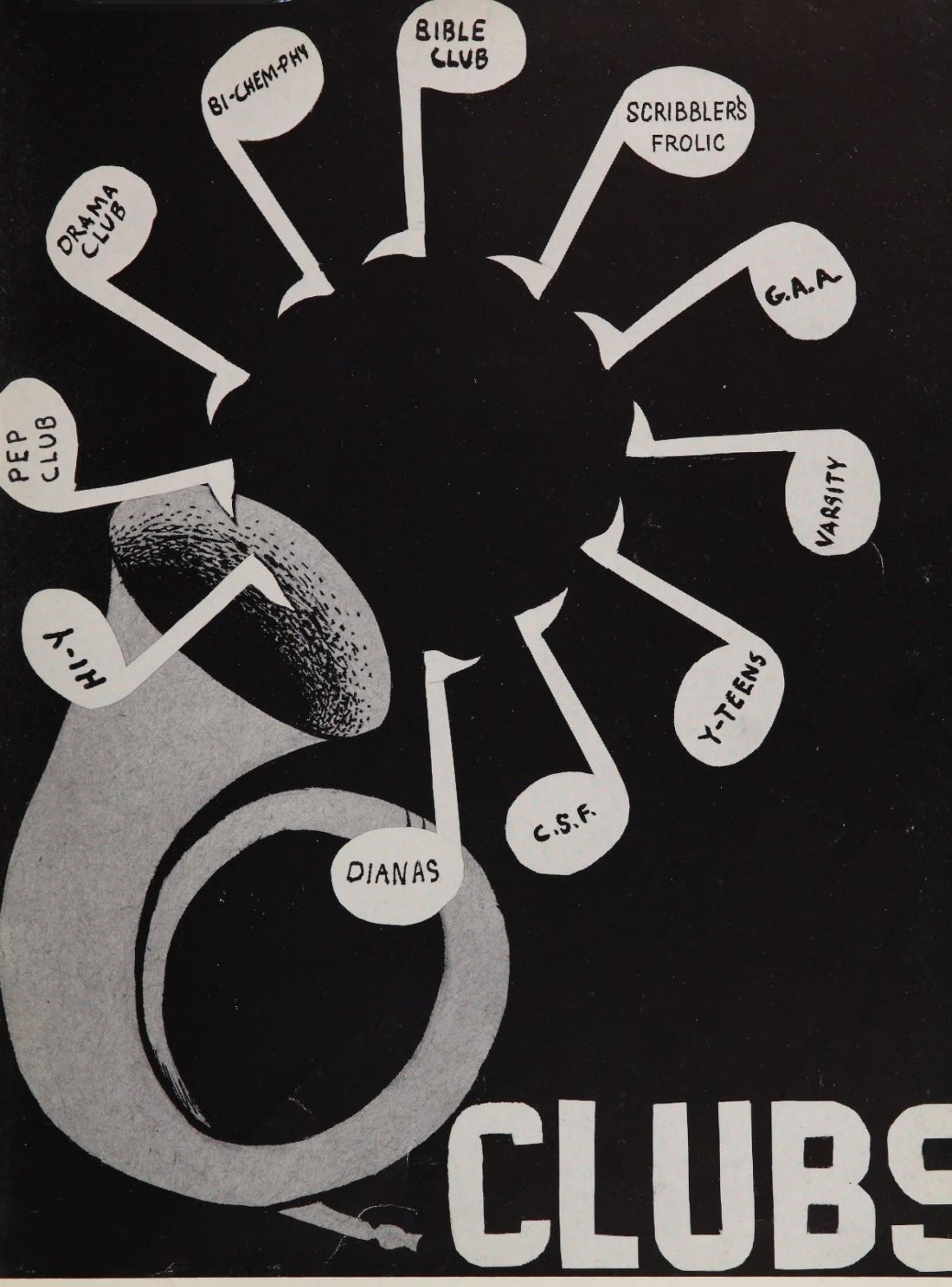
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G.A.A
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Y-TEENS
C.S.F.
DIANAS
CLUBS

Scribblers' Frolic

Under the sponsorship of Miss Speck, the creative writing class of Kearny edited the Scribblers' Frolic. The writing abilities of Kearny students were expressed in their poetry, essays, short stories, and other varied assortments of writing which appeared in the Scribblers' Frolic.

Y-Teens

One of the fine Kearny organizations for girls is the Y-Teens. These 10th, 11th, and 12th grade girls formed this character-building organization under the sponsorship of Mrs. O'Connor and the leadership of President Rosemarie Fellows. This club is a fine investment for any high school girl who wishes to have fun through school activities and services.

K.H.S. News

Doing a wondertul job this year was the Kearny High School news staff. Its members were students with exceptional creative writing abilities which were displayed in news articles published in the school paper. With the advising of Mrs. Dresser and the guidance of the co-editors, this year's staff turned out issues concerning Kearny activities which were both interesting and amusing.

G.A.A.

Teamwork and good sportsmanship are encouraged by this sports-minded group of girls. Athletics of all types were enjoyed in G.A.A. Among the sports played by these girls were volleyball, softball, tennis, golf, and badminton.

CSF

A wonderful year, full of activities, is a description of the fun of the CSF members enjoyed this year. These select students had one ditch day each semester and conducted many after-school sales. They are honored for their outstanding grades.

Dianas

The official hostesses of Kearny High are the Dianas. Their school and community projects kept them busy the year around. These fifteen select senior girls were always ready to usher and help out in any way they could at Kearny's social events.

Bible Club

Activities and meetings galore were enjoyed by the Bible Club members. Besides learning Biblical history, scripture verses, and having many guest speakers, they had joint meetings with Bible Clubs from other near-by schools. They arranged many assemblies and social gatherings; among these was their annual "Funspiration," which highlighted their activities this year.

Drama

These people who donated so much time to the school in entertainment and service deserve to be honored for their wonderful help. The highlight of their activities this year was "Time Out for Ginger," the Senior Play. The cast performed magnificent roles in this hilarious comedy.

Hi-Y

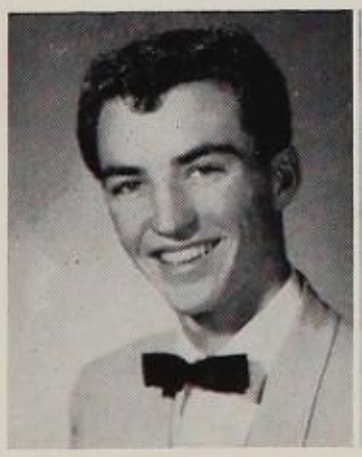
A revived club at Kearny, the Hi-Y became active during the second semester. The club is a branch of the Y.M.C.A. and has an open membership for tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grade boys. The object of the Hi-Y is to promote friendship among the students and to develop a congenial attitude.

Pep Club

Our football and basketball games, track meets and all of Kearny's athletic events were given a much more lively spirit this year by the members of the Pep Club. This organization was new to Kearny and consisted of students who attended athletic events regularly. They wore white shirts and sat in a special section guarded by the R.O.T.C. This was one of the most active and lively groups at Kearny.

A CAPPELLA CHOIR

Musically, the Kearny Choir experienced one of the finest years they have ever known. This year the choir was limited to 60 members, making a small but brilliant group. A fall Vesper, many Christmas performances, and the school show were only a few of their many wonderful activities.



Wayne Bell
President

Frank Jennings
Vice-President

Malyndia Ragsdale
Secretary

Mary Coyle
Treasurer

Mr. Zaloudek
Director

BOYS' QUARTET

Frank Jennings, Dale Hankins, Jerry Blackwell, Wayne Bell

MIXED CHORUS

RIFLE TEAM

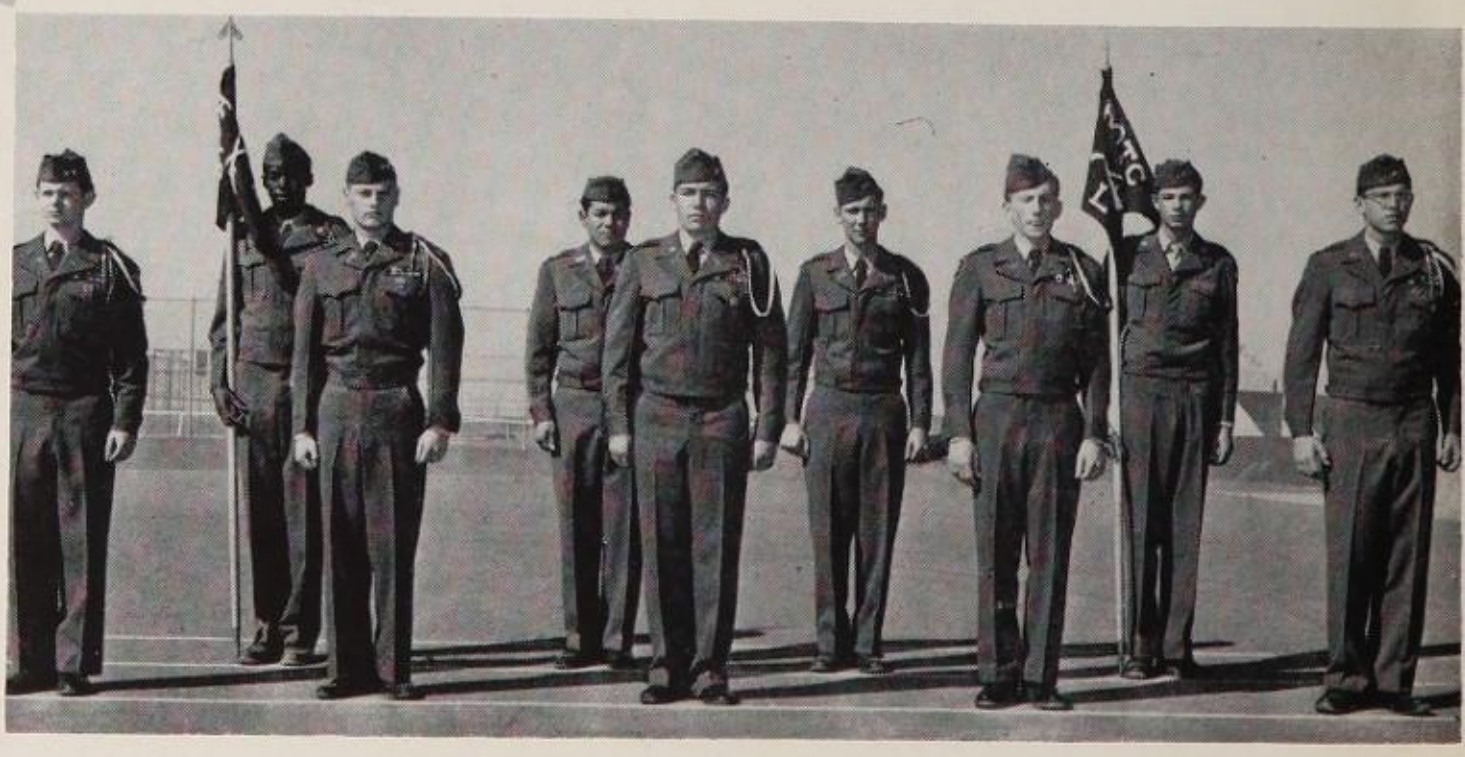
Limon, Labastida, Kirkbride, Holland, Birkel, Reese, Anderson, Baggett, Gangwisch, Tittle.

COLOR GUARD

Griffin, Cullar, Birkel, Sovay

Parading proudly with snap and precision, the R.O.T.C. proved outstanding in Federal Inspection, Field Day and other events. They helped the cadets in learning discipline, weapons, and leadership. Under the fine instruction of Master Sergeant John R. Roane, the R.O.T.C. served as a background for future military life. As a unit, they showed great esprit de corps and determination to have a leading battalion. With their queen, Bonnie Cowie, and her attendants, Dee Anne Flaming and Barbara Taylor, they attended with pride the Regimental Cadet Club Ball and spring picnic.

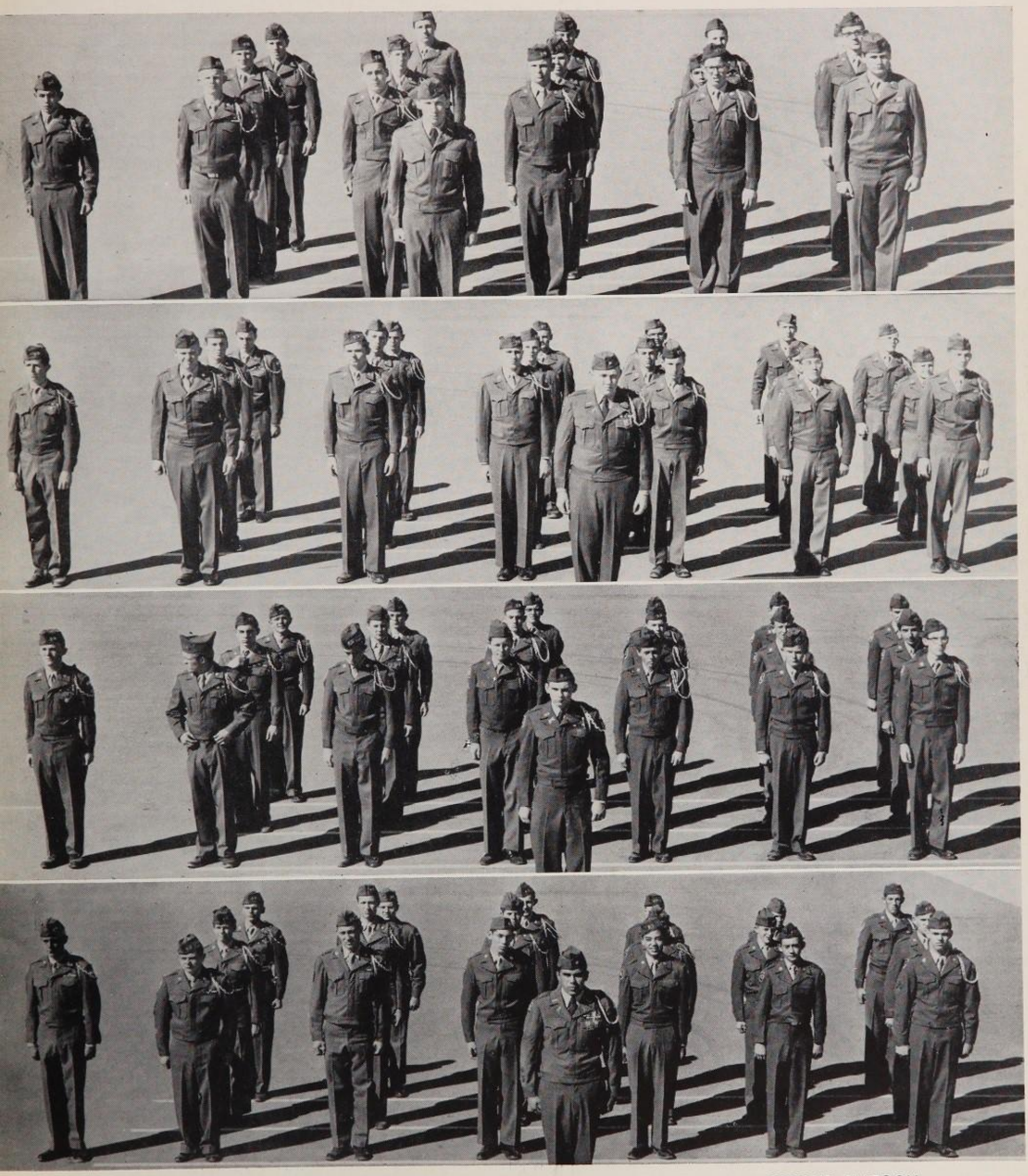
CADET OFFICERS



Lambert, Smith, E., Talcott, Wahlsten, Oswalt, Smith, G., Limon, Gangwisch, Hodge

Reserve Officers Training Corps

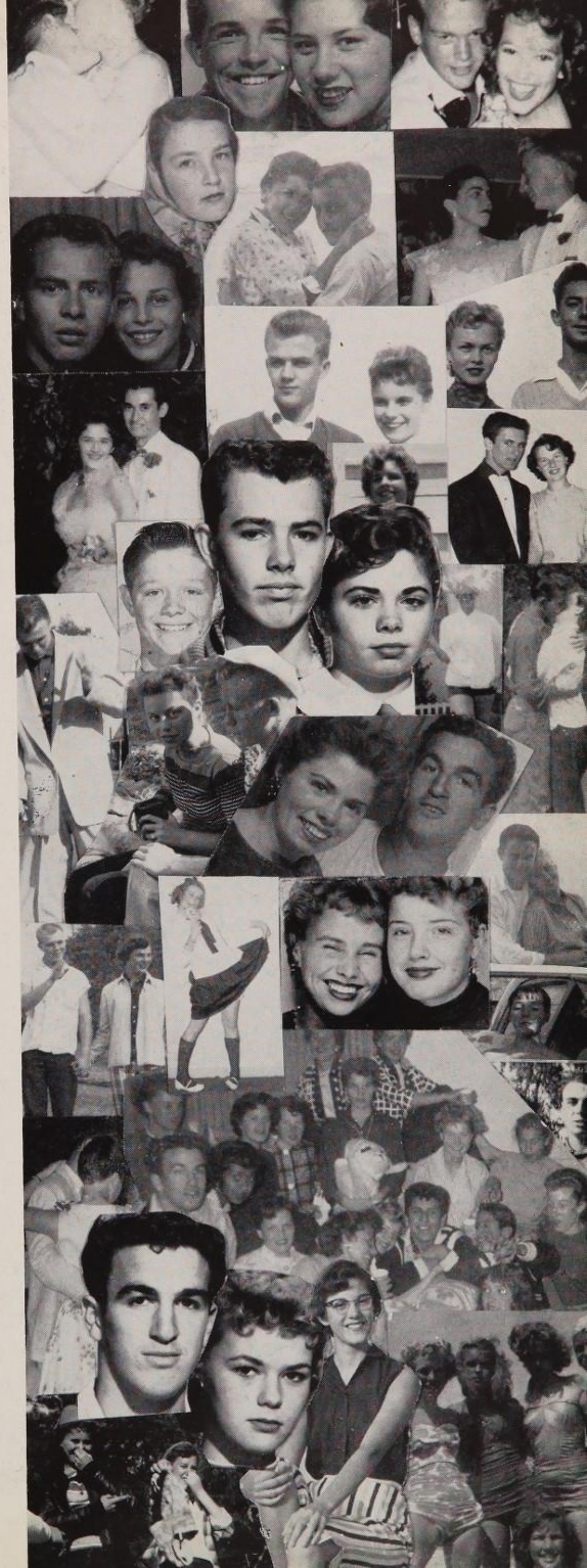
FOURTH BATTALION



FOURTH PLATOON
THIRD PLATOON

SECOND PLATOON
FIRST PLATOON

His Majesty: Frank Sharp; Her Majesties: Barbara Taylor and Bonnie Cowie
Princesses: Pam Varns, Bonnie Cowie, Jo Ann Boyd, Jeanne Morey, Tricia Lynch, Judy Letzkus



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WILLYA QUIT DRAWIN' ME SO UGLY?

JOHN! MARSHA!
STEVE SMASH